

# ROAD BONDS SOLD BEFORE MONEY IS NEEDED? WHO PAYS INTEREST?

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### KAMIN WILL RECOVER FROM GUN WOUNDS

Arraignment on a Larceny  
Charge Expected  
Soon

### IS IDENTIFIED AS BURLINGTON BANDIT

Certainly that Frank Kamin, 27, a suspect in the Burlington Melnhart State bank robbery, will recover from the bullet wounds received as he was fleeing from Burlington, has led authorities to arrange that he be taken to the Racine county jail as soon as he is able to be released from St. Catherine's hospital. His arraignment on the charge of larceny probably will follow.

Two other suspects, Reinhold and Michael Fluker, who arraigned in Racine Tuesday on the charges of armed robbery and larceny of \$6,000, pleaded not guilty. They are being held for preliminary hearings on May 28 and 29, respectively, with bonds of \$20,000 and \$12,000.

Take About \$6,000.

The hold-up occurred at 12:45 Friday, May 15. The president and two clerks were present when the bandits entered the bank, and covered them with their guns. After stuffing what currency they could find in a bag the robbers fled to an automobile where an accomplice was waiting with the motor running.

As they began their flight, they were seen by Policemen Schenning, who discharged his gun into the car, but failed to stop them. Later a blood-stained car, identified as one stolen from Pasadena Gardens, was found at Stades' Corners, from whence the robbers continued in a waiting car.

Find Two in Twin Lakes Cottage. Immediately after the hold-up, Kenosha county officials were notified and deputies sent to search. Less than three hours later Frank Kamin and Reinhold Fluker were discovered hiding in a Twin Lakes cottage, Kamin suffering from a shot wound in the back. Kamin refused to tell how he had received the wounds, but authorities declare that the bullet holes in a mask found in the abandoned car correspond with the wound in Kamin's neck.

Michael Fluker was picked up in Chicago by officials and has been held. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ellis, of Burlington, sister and brother-in-law of Kamin, and two brothers of Kamin, Edward and Walter, were found at the home of the mother of the Kamin family in Chicago, but were released upon verification of their statement that they had left Burlington in the morning.

Have Been Suspected Before. It is believed that Kamin and his "gang" have been implicated in several bank robberies during the past few months. Partial identification of Fluker as one of the Bristol State bank robbers has been made by the bank officials, while at the time of the Silver Lake bank robbery Kamin was reported to have been involved.

Kamin began his crooked career in Antioch, when, after being employed as teller of the State bank for four years, he was found short \$2,300 in bank funds. As he was seemingly repentant, and because of his youth and previous good record, bank officials made up the loss, and did not bring any charge against him.

Conclusive proof against them is seen in the fact that the general description of the Melnhart bank robbers tallies with the appearance of Kamin and Reinhold Fluker.

Kamin's wounds and discovery of equipment upon his person, joining the same material as those found in Fluker's home provide further reasons for linking them with the robbery.

### H. S. BOY WINS SECOND IN STATE VIOLIN CONTEST

John Tollala, from Allendale, a junior at the Antioch high school, was awarded second place in the Illinois state championship contest for violinists, held at Normal Friday, May 15. He was accompanied on the piano by Miss Mildred Robinson.

John is instructed in violin by W. G. Drugg. For several years he has shown outstanding talent, having been given prominent position in the state orchestra for two years, and last year was recommended by Director Raymond Dvorak to attend the National Orchestra camp at Interlochen, Mich. He will study there this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Reutter visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Suhr, Berwyn, Ill., Sunday.



School's Out

### Poor Funds To Be Raised By County Legion Committee

Local Post Is Host to 200  
Delegates at District  
Meeting

Appointment of a committee to raise funds to provide the necessities of life to thirty destitute families in the county actually in want was the chief outcome of the meeting of the Lake county council of the Legion held at Pasadena Gardens Friday night, with the Antioch unit as host.

The Bogardus act fund, furnished by the county board, has been drawn on heavily to aid families crippled by the depression during the past year, and will not be replenished until the board takes action in June.

Charles C. Kaphan, county commander, has instructed the committee to work with Brad West, Bogardus act officer of the county American Legion, in investigating and raising enough funds to last until June 15, to take care of the veterans of all wars.

The 200 delegates present were served with plate lunches and entertained by a pep band, and were sincere in declaring the event to be one of the best district meetings ever attended.

### Short Detour At Lake Villa Is Not Practical, Lamb Says

The proposed short detour around the construction work of the Soo Line viaduct on Route 21 at Lake Villa will not be built, according to Supervisor William A. Roseng, who has been trying to induce the state highway department to build and maintain the detour for the benefit of business firms and residents along the route north of Lake Villa.

Issuing today exhibited a letter from District Engineer G. N. Lamb, written to County Superintendent of Highways R. M. Lobdell, in which the proposition is turned down cold.

"I do not feel justified in recommending the construction of a temporary gravel road around the construction of the grade separation on Route 21 at Lake Villa," writes Mr. Lamb.

Expenses Not Justified. "The probable length of time such a temporary road could be used does not in my opinion justify the expense in view of the fact that two very good detours are to be had. One all paved detour into Antioch adds only about two miles to through traffic. Traffic to the lakes west of Antioch is inconvenienced little, if any."

"The gravel road detour around Lake Villa will be maintained by this department. Should a temporary road be built it could be used only until the grading contractor begins work on the fill approaches. The contract for this work has been awarded and the contractor is anxious to begin work as soon as the construction of the abutments has progressed sufficiently."

### Firemen Promptly Extinguish Fire in Antler's Hotel

A small roof fire, caused by sparks issuing from the kitchen chimney of the Antler's hotel about 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon, was immediately extinguished by the Antioch fire department before any serious damage had been done. The fire was over the hotel dining room.

### LAW ENFORCEMENT DIFFICULT IN LAKE COUNTY, SMITH SAYS

Criminal Lawyers Obstruct  
Justice, Attorney Tells  
Men's Club

The professional "criminal" lawyer who is keen to take advantage of every technicality of law in making an easy open road for the criminal, the apathy of citizens regarding jury service, and the jury system itself, are largely responsible for the difficulty attending the enforcement of law and the obtaining convictions of the guilty in Lake county, Col. A. V. Smith, state's attorney of Lake county, told the Men's Club assembled in the Antioch Methodist church for the last meeting of the season Friday night.

"Lake county has absolutely nothing to do with many of the crimes committed within its borders," Colonel Smith declared. "This county many times just happens to be the battleground for gang wars started in Chicago, and the Lake county state's attorney's office is asked to apprehend and convict the guilty ones."

"During my incumbency in office the business has grown to such a volume that the services of five assistants are required, one assistant giving an entire day each week to the mental and delinquent cases heard in the county court."

Colonel Smith's address was enlightening, and proved of great interest to those present. He was given a vote of thanks.

Chicago Man Speaks. E. J. Gnaedinger, of Chicago, president of the Channel Lake Country Club, came before the group with a proposition that should prove of genuine interest to Antioch people, when he announced that directors of the club had agreed to change the name of the club to the "Antioch Country Club" if sufficient local membership could be interested. The plan met with approval and steps will be taken to bring the project to realization, it is said.

Tentative plans for the formation of a Salvation Army local board will be made at once, it was announced by Rev. Philip T. Dohi, following an appeal made before the club by Mrs. Mary T. Wiseman, appeal director for the Army. Rev. Dohi accepted the temporary chairmanship, pending the organization.

### GARDEN CLUB OF LAKE FOREST TO EXHIBIT FLOWERS

The Lake Forest Garden Club Flower Show is to take place May 30 and 31 at the Service Buildings of Mrs. Rockefeller McCormick's estate in Lake Forest.

The committee in charge of arrangements is as follows: Chairwoman, Mrs. Farwell Winston; Mrs. Lester Armour, Mrs. Philip Armour, Mrs. Albert B. Dick Jr., Mrs. Donald Douglas, Mrs. DeForest Hulburd, Mrs. Rockefeller McCormick, Mrs. George McLaughlin, Mrs. George McLaughlin Jr., Mrs. Gilbert E. Porter, and Mrs. Earle Reynolds.

Mrs. George Rhodes and her sister, Miss Winifred Rhodes, were visited by Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Rhodes, of Oak Park, Mrs. Harry Zeller, of Austin, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Harland Farfur, of Oak Park, Sunday.

### ANTIOCH MOURNS DEATH OF ONE OF FINEST CITIZENS

Host of Friends Attend the  
Funeral Services for  
E. B. Williams

Services for Antioch's "fine old man," Edgar Booth Williams, were held Sunday afternoon at the M. E. church in the presence of throngs of friends, who deeply regret his loss.

The church was laden with flowers, the last tokens of regard from his many friends. An inspiring delivery was made by Dr. Bradley, pastor of the People's church in Chicago, in which he spoke of the example of fine Christian living, goodness, and love of fellowmen rarely equalled which Mr. Williams leaves for others to attempt to emulate. Solo numbers were sung by Mrs. Louise Gilbert.

The pallbearers were Arthur Bock, Charles Lax, Herman Oubon, Frank King, Russell Anderson and S. Boyer Nelson. Honorary pallbearers were Richard Kaye, Addison Felter, Herman Bock, J. C. James, William Oetting and William Ziegler.

Interment is in the Hillside cemetery. State highway policemen and local firemen led the funeral procession.

Was Old Pioneer Stock.

Edgar Booth Williams was born January 4, 1846, at Bristol, Wis., son of Daniel and Jane Booth Williams, the ninth of eleven children. Daniel Williams came from Stratford, Conn., in 1841. The family was of old pioneer stock, originally from Wales, England. An ancestor, James Booth, was a captain in the Revolutionary army.

In 1850 the family moved to Antioch, Ill., and their old farm forms the northern section of the present town. The country was still in pioneer development and the children traded many miles to school at Liberty Corners, Wis. Indians were a common sight in summer.

Was in Chicago Fire.

At 17, Mr. Williams left for Chicago to seek employment, finding a position as clerk in a grocery store. Later he worked for a while in Cairo, Ill. On his return to Chicago he entered the commission business, on South Water street. It was here he was working, living above the store, when the disastrous fire of 1871 turned Chicago with its proud buildings into smoldering ashes. He barely escaped with his life.

On November 14, 1872, he was married to Mrs. Mathilda Caroline Reese, of Ann Arbor, Mich. They settled in Chicago, where their daughter, Lella Jeanette, was born. A few years later they moved to Antioch, where Mr. Williams entered into the grocery business with his brother, Daniel A. The store which they founded, Williams Brothers, is still in existence. In 1921 Mr. Williams obtained entire control of the store and turned it over to W. R. Williams in partnership with his son, Harold E. Williams, who died shortly after.

Interested in Antioch. Mr. Williams also became interested in banking, being the second president of the Antioch State bank, which position he held until the State bank merged with the Brooks State bank of Antioch.

Mr. Williams took an active interest in the civic affairs of the community, serving for thirty-two years as treasurer and clerk of the Antioch township school board, and for two years as president of the village board, the first man to hold the position.

He was a Mason and one of the charter members of Sequoit lodge, No. 827, A. F. & A. M.

He died May 15, 1931, at Victory Memorial hospital, Waukegan, Ill., having returned from his winter home in Melbourne, Fla., only a few weeks previously, and is survived by his wife, Mathilda, 83, daughter, Mrs. Charles K. Anderson, son, W. R. Williams, granddaughter, Lorraine Anderson, and two great grandchildren, all of Antioch.

### PETTY THEIEVRY AT CHANNEL LAKE HOMES REPORTED

Theft of articles from a number of Channel Lake homes was reported during the past week. Breaking into the garage at the home of John Carlson, the thieves took a posthole digger and a number of garden tools, while at the home of Dr. F. D. Hollenbeck, a Haddon spraying outfit was missing.

### READ Taxpayers' News Page 3

Baccalaureate  
Services Will Be  
Held Here Sunday  
Largest Senior Class in History of A. T. H. S.  
Plans Class Night

Baccalaureate services for forty prospective high school graduates will be held in the auditorium next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock Standard Time. To these young people solemnly attired in graduation robes, will be given a message by Father Savage, of Wadsworth, who agreed to speak when the Reverend Daniel Frawley found it impossible to be present to give the address.

Services are being held this Sunday instead of next, to avoid crowding too many events into the last few days.

Class Night Thursday. The class is combining its talent into presentable form for class night exercises Thursday evening. This is the one frivolous and informal event of all the graduation activities, when the true class spirit is revealed by the (Continued on page 8)

### ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WILL COMBINE FOR GRADUATION PROGRAM

Eighth Grade Graduates  
from Nine Schools  
Included

LEGION AWARDS  
TO BE GIVEN

Eight grade students from nine of the county schools will pass one of the milestones of their lives as they are graduated Tuesday evening, when the schools will combine in the promotion exercises at the high school building at 8 o'clock Standard Time. These schools include Antioch, Dean Hill, Emmens, Cedar Lake, Channel Lake, Grubb, Hickory, Monerville and Oakland.

The chief address of the evening will be given by County Superintendent W. C. Petty. A brief but thoughtful inspiring talk on "Why Go to High School?" will be given by L. O. Bright, principal of the Antioch high school.

The prospective graduates have been preparing together three vocal numbers under the direction of E. V. Jeffers. Further program numbers will be furnished by the Antioch grade school band, pianist and cornetist.

At this time an award will be made by A. Mapleshorpe, representing the local American Legion, to Oliver Grutzmacher and Helen Strang, the boy and girl in the Antioch school ranking highest in the five most important characteristics—honor, courage, scholarship, leadership and service.

Reading circle pins to all graduates completing the reading circle requirements for elementary schools, and perfect attendance pins to all children meriting them will be presented.

### LEGION ARRANGES FOR MEMORIAL DAY SPEAKER

Final details for Memorial Day will be discussed tonight at the regular meeting of the Antioch American Legion post at the village hall. Arrangements for a prominent speaker already have been made, and there is possibility of securing two bands in the line of march. Other details as to the time and the line of march will be decided and published in next week's issue of the News.

### TAXPAYERS WILL LAUNCH QUIZ INTO ROAD BOND SALE

Claim Thousands of Dollars  
in Needless Interest  
Being Paid

### WILL ASK VERCOE WHO BOUGHT BONDS

Why was the entire issue of \$1,250,000 Lake county highway bonds sold before the money was needed, who were the purchasers and who is paying the interest on the balance of more than one million dollars, are questions uppermost in the minds of members of the Waukegan Taxpayers Association and questions that Supervisor Arthur Vercoe, Highland Park banker and chairman of the finance committee of the Lake county board of supervisors, is expected to answer when officials of the Taxpayers group launch their investigation into the transactions of the committee relating to the too hasty sale of the bonds.

The Taxpayers association claims that the entire bond issue of \$1,250,000 that was approved by voters at the special election held April 23, last year, has been sold and that only \$217,551.62 has been actually spent on construction work, according to R. L. Lobdell, county superintendent of highways. An additional \$270,000 will be needed for this year's work, according to Lobdell.

Meanwhile the county is paying 5 per cent interest on the unpaid balance, which will cost the county an unnecessary expense of approximately \$50,000. R. H. Stripe, president of the Taxpayers association, declares. Supervisor Vercoe will be quizzed regarding the depositary of funds collected in road bond issue sales, the Taxpayers declared last night, following a meeting held in the Waukegan city council rooms.

Attempt will be made to have William J. Obeg ousted as chairman of the county board, should he be indicted at the hearing of Stripe's mayhem charges Friday.

### Legion Auxiliary Girls Expect Big Sale of Poppies

A poppy in every button hole is the aim of the American Legion auxiliary who are undertaking the work of selling the flowers on Poppy Day, Saturday, May 23, under the direction of Mrs. Eyan Kaye and Mrs. John Horon.

These poppies which have been carefully made by war veterans were obtained by Ray Webb, representing the Legion, and the funds derived from their sale will be used for the service and relief funds of the American Legion departments of the state and local units.

The battle fields of France claimed many who never returned; and the country sorrowed. But there were many who did return, broken in spirit and body, their useful work on this earth ended. The red poppy has come, after twelve years, to be the national symbol of the dependent state of these disabled veterans.

A poppy in your buttonhole will help them!

### FLASHLIGHT SIGNALS ORDERED FOR SOO R. R. CROSSING AT ANTIOCH

(Antioch News Special Service) Springfield, Ill.—To provide further protection for the traveling public, the Illinois commerce commission has ordered the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie railroad to substitute automatic flashlight signals with cross buck signs for the present wig-wag signal protection at the crossing of Fox River Road with the railroad near Antioch.

Full 24-hour protection for traffic passing over the crossing was ordered by the commission.

Seven persons have met death at this crossing during the last few months, the latest tragedy being on April 23 when five Liberty youth lost their lives. The coroner's jury investigating the fatal accident urged the installing of better safety devices.

Mrs. William Van der Linde and Mrs. Burt Anderson spent Tuesday in Waukegan.



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## EDGAR BOOTH WILLIAMS

It is more than a mere accomplishment to live a long, useful and honorable life, retaining the friends of youth, and carrying into the evening of life the confidence, esteem and respect begotten in the more active years of living.

Such is the life story of Edgar Booth Williams, "Antioch's grand old man," who was laid to rest here Sunday amidst a profusion of floral tributes and in the presence of a throng who attended the obsequies. A noted pastor, the Reverend Preston Bradley, of Chicago, long an intimate friend of "E. B.," spoke of the fine example of living left as a heritage by his deceased friend.

All these are merely incidents in the closing scenes of life. The real monument is the life itself.

A true Christian gentleman, who exemplified the fine art of living, has passed on.

## UP IT GOES

Ten states have increased their gasoline tax rates so far this year, and others are contemplating similar moves. At present the average tax rate for the nation is 3.98 cents per gallon and it may exceed 4 cents before the dawn of 1932.

However, it is interesting to note that the new high rates went into effect in the face of constantly growing opposition. In North Dakota, for example, the voters defeated a projected increase on a referendum proposal in November—only to have the legislature pass it later on. In Washington, where the rate was jacked up two cents a gallon, motorists are busy seeking a referendum, and a 1-cent increase in Maine was passed only after a long and bitter battle in the legislature.

It may be that the tendency toward higher rates will be a good thing after all—the higher the tax goes, the sooner the public will take action. "Worm motorist" is rapidly reaching the point where he will turn, as 5 and 6-cent tax rates stare him in the face.

## FAKE CURES

As President Hoover recently pointed out, tax reduction must be a vital element in any program for industrial and economic stabilization.

This is not to say that high taxes alone were responsible for the world-wide depression. Many divergent forces were to blame. But it is almost axiomatic that employment and business cannot return to normal if they are burdened with a staggering and constantly growing weight of taxation.

It is unfortunate that in times of stress, many foolish, though well-meant, panaceas are offered and sometimes are tried. All of them, in one way or another, cost the people money, and sometimes, for a single experiment, the cost goes into hundreds of millions. The inevitable result is higher taxes. Thus the ostensible cure for depression become a barrier in the path of prosperity.

When government goes in for artificial and expensive economic respirators it almost always does far more harm than good.

## Several Millburn Residents Attend F. Achen Funeral

Mrs. E. A. Martin spent several days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Achen, being called there by the sudden illness and death of Mr. Achen Wednesday. Funeral services were held at the Hansen funeral home in Kenosha Friday, and were attended by several from Millburn. Burial is in Hickory cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. August Holdridge, of Chicago, spent Thursday at Lewis Bauman's.

William Walker, of Lake Forest, called at the J. S. Dennan home Friday.

Bernice Bauman, Ethel McGuire and Lloyd Atwell spent Sunday with Doris Jamison in Milwaukee.

Mrs. Fenton, Miss Addie Fenton, of Graylake, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Erwin, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards and daughters, of Waukegan, were callers at the George Edwards home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bonner and sons were guests for dinner at the C. E. Bonner home Sunday.

Mrs. Beck returned to her home in Evanston Monday after ten days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Pierstorff.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Polors entertained about thirty relatives from Evanston Sunday.

A game, the final score of which resembled that of the Big Ten league games, was played between the Millburn and Gurnee baseball teams Sunday, ending in a 3-1 victory for Gurnee. Two errors by the Millburn pitcher, Webb, enabled the other team to secure the two winning runs.

## NORTHEASTERN 4-H CLUB MEETS UNDER NEW NAME

The second regular meeting of the Northeastern 4-H club was held Monday evening at 8:30, May 4, at the home of Sam Johnson.

Iroy Griffin, the assistant local 4-H club leader, and Albert Herman, the county 4-H club leader, were present.

The former name of the club, "Gill-Gin-ler," was changed because of certain objections, to "Northeastern," this being the most northeastern 4-H club in the state of Illinois.

The program for the season was read by the president, Virgil Shuster, and was adopted by the club. It is to be sent to Albert Herman with an application for the club charter.

Virgil Shuster gave a talk on "So-feeding a Dairy Calf." The remainder of the program was taken up in busi-

ness and filling out the record project books.

Three new members, each of whom has decided upon a corn project, joined the club. They are Donald Adams, Joe Iwanicki and Nick Iwanicki.

Northeastern 4-H club baseball team lost their first practice game to the Mill Creek 4-H club team.

## Ghosts Scare Tenants Away

In Yorkshire, England, the land of desolate moors and old manorhouses, there are several big important mansions that no one will live in. They are simply falling to rack and ruin because no one can be persuaded to rent or purchase them. The reason? Ghosts!

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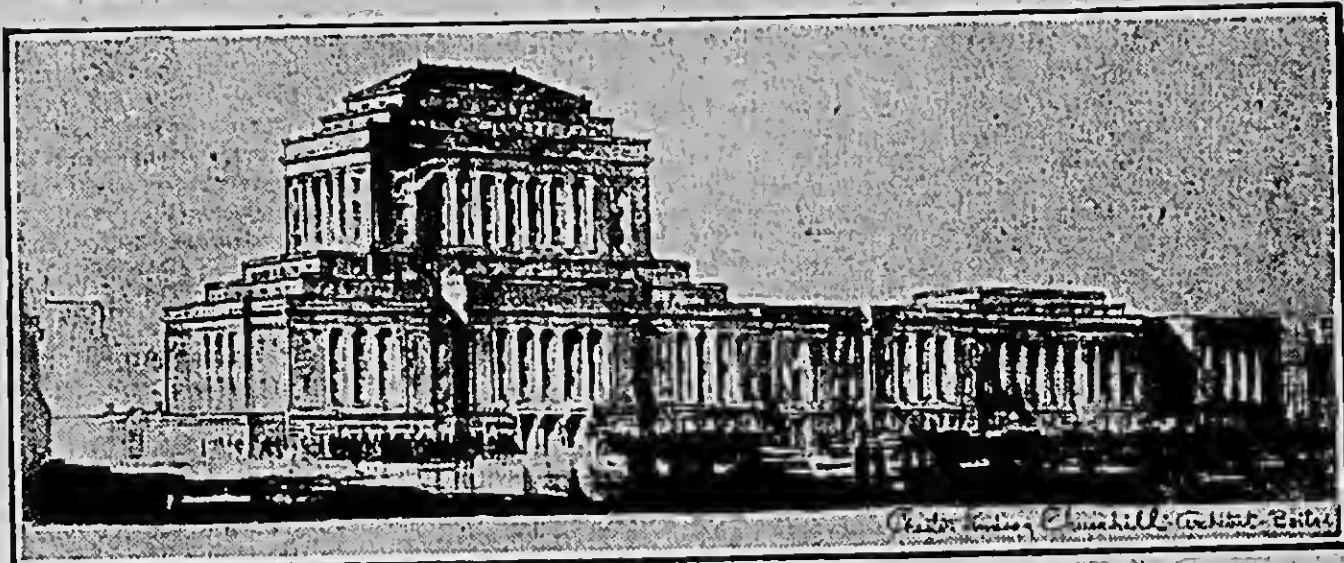
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## New Christian Science Publishing House



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Here provision will be made for the needs of The Christian Science Monitor, The Christian Science Journal, the Christian Science Sentinel and all other literature published by the Society.

The new building, which will cost in the neighborhood of \$3,000,000, will occupy approximately 58,000 square feet of ground bounded by Massachusetts Avenue, Norway, Falmouth and Clearway Streets, Back Bay. Opera-

tions are to be hastened in accord with the public and private building program which Mayor James M. Curley of Boston has been urging in conjunction with President Hoover's recommendations for relief of unemployment.

The structure will have a varying height. The Massachusetts Avenue end of the building, which will be used for offices, will be nine stories in height, while that part which is opposite The Mother Church edifice will be three and four stories in height and in scale with this edifice.

The publishing building will be related in architectural style to The Mother Church, and its design has been influenced by the fact that in the future it probably will become one of a group of buildings which will surround and form a fitting architectural setting for the Church. It will

be an all-stone building of the Italian Renaissance type, the lower story to be of granite and the upper stories of limestone.

Special attention will be given to the installation of modern heating and ventilating devices. The central plant will be housed in a building adapted to it, with an ornamental tower inclosing the stack, the tower to be of brick and stone conforming with the beauty and symmetry of the main building.

The building now occupied by The Christian Science Publishing Society, completed in 1908, will be used for the administration offices of The Mother Church.

The architect is Chester Lindsay Churchill, and with him is associated Lockwood-Greene Engineers, Inc., of Boston, who will have charge of the plant layout.

Large and Small Stamps  
A stamp dealer says that the largest stamp that is used comes from China and the smallest from Victoria.

## Shun the Gossip

Listen not to a tale-bearer or slanderer, for he tells thee nothing but of good-will; but as he discovereth the secrets of others as he will of thine in turn.—Socrates.

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## Think It Over

### COUNTY PHYSICIAN'S CONTRACT IS FAULTY, TAXPAYERS CLAIM

#### Allege Document Would Be Rejected in Private Business

Alleging that the contract between the Lake county Board of Supervisors and Dr. Charles Lieber, employed by the board as county physician for two years, is faulty in at least one paragraph under which it is possible to run up an unlimited amount of expense, the Waukegan Taxpayers Association today made public the document they claim would not be accepted by any corporation or firm in making a contract of this kind.

The contract in full, together with the county clerk's certificate and the appended comment of the Taxpayers Association officers, follows:

THIS INDENTURE made and entered into this 25th day of April, A. D. 1931, by and between the county of Lake, in the state of Illinois, first party, and CHARLES LIEBER, M. D., of the city of Waukegan, county of Lake and state of Illinois, second party.

WITNESSETH THAT: WHEREAS at a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of said county of Lake in the state of Illinois regularly convened and duly held, the said Board of Supervisors of the said county of Lake named and appointed said second party county physician and superintendent of the Lake County General Hospital for the term and period of two (2) years beginning July 1st, 1931, and ending June 30th, 1933, both dates inclusive, for and in consideration of the terms, covenants and conditions hereinafter specified.

THIS INDENTURE was read and submitted to said Board of Supervisors and regularly and duly accepted and the chairman of said board and the county clerk were duly authorized, empowered and directed by the said Board of Supervisors to enter into and execute said indenture for and on behalf of the said county of Lake.

NOW, THEREFORE, and in consideration of the terms, covenants and conditions hereof, the parties hereto bind themselves, as follows: Said second party shall receive as and for his compensation for his services to be rendered and performed as follows:

TWENTY-NINE HUNDRED (\$2,900.00) dollars per annum for services as county physician, in consideration of which he shall respond to all calls for attendance and attend upon the county poor of said county of Lake whenever necessary or requested by any supervisor of any town in said county or by the county board of supervisors in said county.

THREE HUNDRED FIFTY (\$350.00) dollars per annum for the care and supervision of the contagious hospital.

FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE (\$525.00) dollars per annum for the care and supervision of the tuberculosis ward and special work on tuberculous patients.

THREE HUNDRED (\$300.00) dollars per annum for medical and surgical attendance on such minor dependents in charge of the county as now are or hereafter may be inmates of the Methodist Deaconess orphanage located at Lake Bluff, Illinois.

SEVEN HUNDRED (\$700.00) dollars per annum for the treatment of venereal cases as is required by the laws of the state of Illinois.

ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00) dollars per annum for services to and attendance upon prisoners confined in the county jail.

ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00) dollars per annum for the care and treatment of such persons as may be in the detention home.

Payments on the above specified sums and amounts shall be made to second party in eight (8) equal installments on the dates as follows: October 1st, 1931; January 1st, 1932; April 1st, 1932; July 1st, 1932; October 1st, 1932; January 1st, 1933; April 1st, 1933; and July 1st, 1933.

SECOND PARTY shall have the use of the residence on said General Hospital grounds formerly furnished to the county physicians, with maintenance, heat, light, etc.

SECOND PARTY shall have the necessary hospital equipment, including the present facilities for attendance upon the patients not confined in the hospital.

SECOND PARTY shall select his own assistants, anesthetists, technicians, etc., when in his opinion an occasion arises for their employment, payment to be made by the first party as in the past.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said party of the first part has caused these presents to be subscribed by the chairman of the Board of Supervisors and the county clerk of the said county of Lake and state of Illinois, and the corporate seal to be at-

# LAKE COUNTY TAXPAYERS' NEWS

"And ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free"

## Interest Money Is Wasted In Lake County, Taxpayers' Association President Asserts

### SAYS ROAD BONDS ARE SOLD BEFORE FUNDS ARE NEEDED

#### Taxpayers' Submit Address Supervisors Refused To Hear

#### EFFORT TO FORM PRINTING COMBINE IS EXPOSED

The alleged needless spending of thousands of dollars in the payment of interest on road bonds sold before the money is actually needed, is exposed in the address, or what was to have been an address, delivered by R. H. Strife, president of the Waukegan Taxpayers Association, to the Lake county Board of Supervisors, when that body convened on the morning of April 23.

The rebuff of President Strife, and the flat refusal of Chairman Obee to recognize the speaker who demanded a hearing before the entire board, is now history; and it is well known that an exchange of state warrants followed the physical combat that ensued at the close of the board's morning session.

Not only does President Strife in his "intended address" expose the waste of public funds through the payment of unnecessary interest money, but he hints of a proposed printing ring in his story of the A, B and C printers. (Names and complete data regarding the alleged transaction are on file, Strife declares.)

Scoring greed and illegal practices on the part of officials, Strife pleads for intelligent and unselfish services from all who have taken oath of office to serve the public who have placed them in positions of trust. Here's the address the Supervisors Did Not Hear.

Gentlemen: I come before you again as a representative of Waukegan and Lake county taxpayers under the constitutional right to petition our governmental officers.

Recently the Waukegan Taxpayers Association officially objected to the election of William J. Obee of Highland Park to the chairmanship of the Board of Supervisors for the ensuing year.

I was very much impressed with the report of the attitude of Mr. Obee as published in the Waukegan Daily Times under date of April 23, 1931, in which he exhibits an earnest desire to save money for the taxpayers of Lake county.

I wish Mr. Obee had felt the same way years ago. The Waukegan Taxpayers Association would probably not have been compelled to object to his chairmanship.

We have several reasons for our objection: In the first place, during the years of 1923 and 1924, and directly contrary to law, Mr. Obee acted as

fixed and said party of the second part has set his hand and seal to these presents the day and year first above written.

THIS INSTRUMENT being executed as aforesaid, in duplicate.

THE COUNTY OF LAKE

IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

(Signed) By WM. J. OBBE,

Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Lake County, Illinois.

(Signed) LEW A. HENDEE,

County Clerk of said Lake County.

(Signed) CHAS. LIEBER, M. D.,

Second Party.

(A TRUE COPY)

State of Illinois } ss.

County of Lake: }

I, LEW A. HENDEE, County Clerk

in and for said county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify the foregoing

to be a true and correct copy of the

contract by and between the county

TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION, and Charles

Lieber, M. D., as county physician and

superintendent of the Lake County

General Hospital, for the period

from July 1st, 1931, to June 30th, 1933,

both dates inclusive, as the same ap-

pears from the files of my office, now

remaining.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I here-

unto set my hand and affix the seal of

said county at my office in Waukegan

this 11th day of May, A. D. 1931.

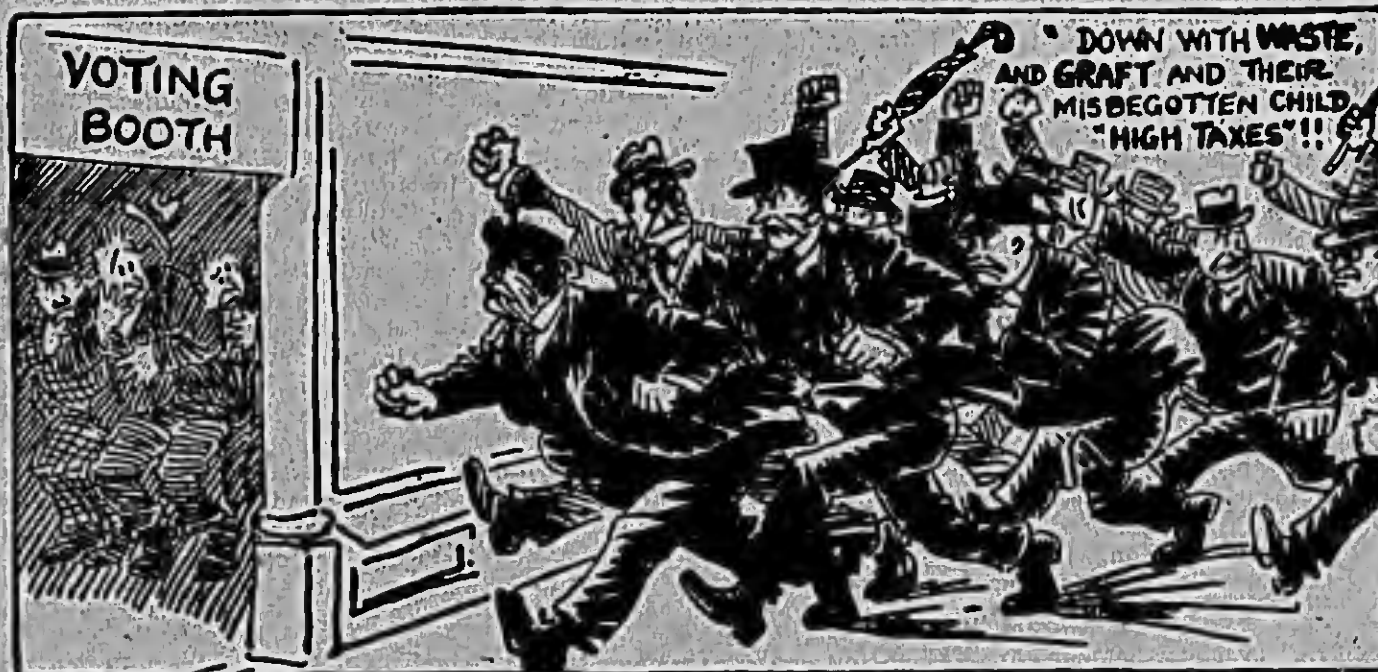
(Signed) LEW A. HENDEE,

County Clerk.

(SEAL)

The above is a true copy of the contract made between the Board of Su-

### WHICH IS THE MORE EFFECTIVE WAY TO PROTEST AGAINST HIGH TAXES?



To go to the polls and select the most honest and capable man—



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superintendent of the construction of new addition to the court house, earning an aggregate amount of \$5,843, which was paid to him by the Board of Supervisors, thereby placing himself in a position not only contrary to law, but also contrary to common ethics, where he was able to pass off upon his own bills.

It has been observed that during his supervisor incumbency Mr. Obee, in some instances at least, has looked after Mr. Obee's personal interests. The recent soap deal, by a committee of which he was chairman, proves this. Therefore, we feel that Mr. Obee is not entitled to the honorable and important position as chairman of the Board of Supervisors. We also feel that he should be compelled to pay back all the money that he took contrary to law.

These facts can be verified by any member of the Board of Supervisors if he will take the time and trouble to look up the records in the County Clerk's office.

I might add here that Supervisor Vercoe from Highland Park, a township supervisor with Mr. Obee, was instrumental by a motion to sup-

port Mr. Obee in his illegal position of superintendent during the addition and alteration to the court house.

If I were critical I would say that Mr. Obee did not make a good superintendent, whether he were such legally or not, for you will recall that after this construction work was done, additional work had to be done at an approximate cost of \$1,000 in order to make the court house comfortably habitable.

Another reason why we object to Mr. Obee as chairman is that in spite of the fact that he has been the supervisor for many years, he has permitted Mr. Vercoe, who was chairman of the finance committee, to sell many thousands of dollars' worth of paving bonds before the money was needed. I refer specifically to the Bond issue voted upon in March, 1930.

I am informed that Mr. Vercoe, as chairman of the finance committee, anticipated the bond election by two or three months and made arrangements for the sale of these bonds. They were sold without bids. They were sold before the money was needed, and they are drawing interest from the county funds.

No one knows when all of this money will be needed, and if Mr. Vercoe had handled a like matter for his own private interests, or his bank's interest, he would have done as the sanitary board is now doing—sold the bonds only when the money was required for use.

Mr. Vercoe will be asked by the taxpayers of Lake county to explain his position specifically as to this transaction.

We have many other transactions that will be brought up from time to time in which other of the supervisors were interested. One of the most important at the present time is the printing done by Mr. Paul Udell, another supervisor from Highland Park, and here I will quote from the Antioch News of April 23, 1931.

"Other Violations Cited.

"In the selection of members for the various committees it may be deemed advisable to scan the records of members, especially the personnel of the printing committee.

"Published proceedings of the Supervisor Board reveal that the Highland Park Press and other publications owned and operated by the Udell Printing Co., have done considerable work for Lake county during the time that Supervisor Paul L. Udell has been a member of the county printing committee.

"Supervisor Udell is part owner and an officer of the Udell Printing Co.

"The section of the Illinois statute violated when supervisors or other officers interest themselves in contracts or public work, and to which

the Taxpayers Association is probably alluding in the letter of protest, is as follows:

(This letter was sent to the supervisors by the Taxpayers Association on April 23, 1931.)

"CHAPTER 102, ARTICLE 3.—Not to be interested in Contracts.—Not to Act as Attorney to Procure—Bribery. It shall not be lawful for any person, now or hereafter holding any office, either by election or appointment, under the constitution of this state, to become in any manner interested; either directly or indirectly, in his own name or in the name of any other person or corporation, in any contract or the performance of any work in the making or letting of which such officer may be called upon to act or vote. And it shall not be lawful for any such officer to represent, either as agent or otherwise, any person, company or corporation, in respect of any application or bid for any contract or work in regard to which such officer may be called upon to vote. Nor shall any such officer take or receive, or offer to take or receive, either directly or indirectly, any money or other thing of value, as a gift or bribe, or a means of influencing his vote or action in his official character; and any and all contracts made and procured in violation hereof, shall be null and void.

"When it is considered that the maximum penalty that may be imposed upon one convicted of violating this law, is a penitentiary sentence of five years, or a fine of \$1,000, or both, it would seem that supervisors would proceed with extreme caution regarding the placing of contracts for public work.

"To further tie up printing purchases and to halt the commendable practice of county officers making purchases wherever most advantageous, two years ago, through the influence of some group, the 'regulation plan' was adopted in a resolution passed by the Board, thus giving the printing committee a throttle-hold on the county publication business, which has assumed the proportions of a 'racket'. The county appropriates \$30,000 per year for printing.

"There are two ways to stop unlawful expenditure of Lake county funds: One is the securing of a permanent injunction restraining any officer from participating in any county work or contract.

"The other, and more potent way, is to institute criminal action against those who have wantonly slapped the law in the face."

Before I close I want to rectify a little story concerning three printers in Lake county. We will designate them A, B and C. The story is told me by C. Messers A and B conspired to do a certain job of printing for

### CONSTITUTION SETS FORTH PURPOSE OF TAXPAYERS' ASSN.

#### Co-operation With Officials Is Keynote of Splendid Document

The constitution under which the Waukegan Taxpayers Association has operated since its organization three years ago, sets forth that the keynote of the association is co-operation to bring about a better understanding between private citizens and those who have been elected to offices of public trust. The constitution is brief and to the point. It has been pronounced a great document, and has been recognized throughout as a practical adaptation of the Golden Rule.

Lake county. Mr. B. was delegated to call on Mr. C. to whom he made a proposition as follows:

"Mr. C. there are only three of us in a position to do a certain job for the county of Lake for which we can get \$1500. If we work together. The plan is that each of us bid on the job, one of us bidding a little lower than the other two this year, and then alternate so that each one will get the job one year out of three. The profit on this job is about \$600. We will divide the profit each year three ways, and in that way have a nice thing."

Mr. C. told the president of the Waukegan Taxpayers Association this story. He said that he told Mr. B. he was never more insulted in his life and ordered him out of his office. He said though, "Before you go, let me tell you I am going to bid on this job myself and you will have to go some to get it." Mr. C. went to his mechanical department and told his employees to cut the job to the bone for he did not wish to make a cent on it, but he did not care to lose anything. However, Mr. B. secured the job by bidding lower than Mr. C. and then had to take it to a non-union shop to save a too heavy loss.

Gentlemen, you are elected to the honorable position of supervisors, the most important position for the administration of the affairs of Lake county in Lake county. You are in the same position with regard to Lake county affairs as men who are elected presidents, senators, congressmen, governors, etc.

If you are imbued with the proper American spirit, you seek these offices, not for selfish gain, but for unselfish service towards the people who elect you.

It is a great honor to be a public official in the true spirit of service and when a man does not live up to that principle he falls far short of the true idea of American government.

This country is suffering dreadfully from greed, graft and grab, and unless a change is made we shall go down to ruin and disgrace like Babylon, Nineveh, Rome, and Germany, and the poor innocent taxpayers who elected their governors will be destroyed with them.

There are several things that should be cleared up and straightened out in addition to the above. I believe that a better system of auditing should be installed.

I refer to the adoption of the plan as outlined by the Lake County Medical Association with regard to operating the Lake county hospital.

At this time I cannot help reverting to the long period of years during which the Board of Supervisors has not been troubled by the treasurer. Only one treasurer during a period of thirty years or more has come through clean. I need not further touch upon this, as you all know, or should know, about these things.

In closing, gentlemen, I wish to say that this is a hard task for me, but in the interest of the poor burdened taxpayers of Lake county this job must be done by someone, and if necessary someone must induce our state's attorney to compel obedience to the law, even to the extent of securing special legal help. We must stop bond issues without the vote of the people. We must stop the easy getting of money by the greed, graft and grab methods. We must have more intelligent and unselfish service from all of our supervisors who, when they take their oath of office, pledge themselves to serve the people honestly, diligently, and in obedience to the law.

Sincerely yours,

Waukegan Taxpayers Association

By R. H. STRIFE,

President.



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## SOCIETY and Personals

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### PAST MATRONS NIGHT OBSERVED IN O. E. S.

Past Matrons of the Eastern Star chapter were honored at the last meeting Monday evening when they filled the various offices and performed the work, there being two candidates for admission. After the business matters were concluded, Ben Dennison, of Grayslake, spoke briefly. Roses and a potted geranium were presented to all the past matrons, while the present matron, Myrtle Klase, the guest of honor, Miss Mahol Orlogs, of Waukegan, and the acting matron, Mrs. Emma Selter, also received flowers, and S. E. Pollock and Mr. Dennison were presented with a basket of fruit.

The past matrons filling office were: Emma Selter, worthy matron; Bosalia Trieger, associate matron; Foru Luz, conductress; Eva Kaye, associate conductress; Jean Forris, secretary; Emma Simons, treasurer; Maude Sablin, marshal; Erma Powles, chaplain; Mary Watson, warder; Lena Kuhaupt, Adm.; Dora Sablin, Eather; Elizabeth Webb, Martha; Ida Osmond, Electa. Organist and soloist was the regular organist, Lillian Jensen, and Martha Westlake took her regular place as Ruth. The present sentinel, Barney Trieger, filled that station, while Frank Huber acted as honorary sentinel.

### FAMILY PARTY IS HELD ON MR. PETERSON'S BIRTHDAY

The occasion of Peter Peterson's birthday anniversary was celebrated by a dinner Sunday evening for a family party. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meyer, Miss Agnes Peterson and Miss Dortha Sobora, of Waukegan; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Palmer, Miss Leona Hennings, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hostetter and Lyle Eldridge, of Antioch; and Miss Esther Smith, of Grass Lake. Mr. Peterson received a number of thoughtful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson were visited in the afternoon by Andrew Peterson, who has recently returned from the Victory Memorial hospital.

### LEGION MEMBERS AND WIVES ATTEND BANQUET

Commander S. M. Wallace and Mrs. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mapthorpe, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Holowski, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Moran, and Russell Mead attended the annual commander and adjutant's banquet held by the Eighth District of the American Legion in Holy Family auditorium, North Chicago, Wednesday evening.

### IS SURPRISED BY FRIENDS ON SEVENTEENTH BIRTHDAY

Miss Ardis Toft was pleasantly surprised on her seventeenth birthday, Tuesday evening, by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Keller, Mr. Skiff, Miss Florence Nevelier, Paul Rogers, Miss Doris Mason, Misses Helen, Iosco and Grace Pedersen, Miss Ruth Paulsen, Mr. Nelson and Mr. Bakon. Games were played and delightful refreshments were served at midnight. Ardis received many beautiful gifts, and all wished her many more such birthdays.

### LOCAL O. E. S. MEMBERS FILL STATIONS IN WAUKEGAN

Five from Antioch, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Klass, Mrs. Low Van Patten, Mrs. Charles Powles, and S. E. Pollock, attended the meeting of the Waukegan chapter of the Eastern Star last Thursday evening. Mrs. Klass filled the office of Ada, and Mr. Pollock acted as chaplain.

### LOCAL MEMBERS ATTEND LAST O. A. R. MEETING

The Daughters of the American Revolution held their last meeting of the season in Waukegan Tuesday evening, and held an election of officers for the next year. Miss Elizabeth Webb and Mrs. Harry Smith, the two local members, were present.

### MAY P-T. A. CARD PARTY ATTRACTS CROWD

The final card party of the Parent-Teacher Association Friday evening was attended by about a hundred persons. The card playing was followed by the awarding of a large number of prizes, and the serving of refreshments.

### MRS. POWLES ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mrs. Charles Powles was hostess to the members of the Friday 500 club at their last meeting. High scores by Mrs. Evan Kaye, Mrs. Frank Wood, Lake Villa, and Mrs. Otto Klass, won them the prizes.

### BRIDGE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. BROOK

The weekly gathering of the card club which Mrs. Brook attends was held at her home Tuesday. Mrs. Evan Kaye and Mrs. Clarence Shultz won high scores and were awarded prizes. Mrs. Shultz will entertain next week.

### FRIENDS VISIT CHARLES HOSTETTER ON BIRTHDAY

A birthday dinner for Charles Hostetter Friday evening was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Pete Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Lash and children, of Pikeville. Gifts were presented to Mr. Hostetter.

Mrs. Henry Rentner visited Mrs. Lyle Bolton, of Kenosha, Tuesday.

### Church Notes

St. Peter's Catholic Church  
Father Daniel Frawley, Pastor  
Phone 274

Sunday Masses at 8, 9, 10, and 11 a. m., Daylight Saving Time.  
Week days—Mass at 8 a. m.  
Confessions—4 to 6 p. m., and 7:30 to 9 p. m. on Saturday.

Christian Science Society  
955 Victoria Street

Sunday school.....9:45 a. m.  
Sunday morning service.....11 a. m.  
Wednesday evening service.....3 p. m.  
A reading room is maintained at the above address and is open Wednesday, from 7 until 8 p. m.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Mortals and Immortals" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 17.

The Golden Text was, "He that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting" (Galatians 6:8).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Cease ye from man, whose breath is in his nostrils: for wherein is he to be accounted?" (Isaiah 2:22).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Mortal man is the antipode of immortal man in origin, in existence, and in his relation to God" (p. 215).

St. Ignatius Episcopal Church  
Rev. Rex C. Shuma, Priest in Charge  
Phone 304

Kalendar—Whitsunday.  
Holy communion—7 a. m.  
Church school—10 a. m.  
Holy communion and sermon—11 a. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church  
Philip T. Bohl, Minister

Sunday, May 24: Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 10:45. Epworth League at 6 o'clock, with Dan Williams as leader.

The Thimble Bee society met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Inez Ames with Mrs. Ames and Mrs. Wertz as hostesses. Choir rehearsal each Wednesday evening. Boy Scout meeting Thursday evening.

Sunday, May 31, we shall begin holding services by Daylight Saving Time, meaning that all services will be held one hour earlier.

### MRS. STEARNS ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Mrs. James Stearns entertained a group of friends at a bridge luncheon yesterday. The tables were decorated with spring flowers, and a fine luncheon was served. Four tables of bridge were played with prizes being awarded to Mrs. John Moran, Mrs. Chase Webb, Mrs. George Kuhaupt, Mrs. Howard Smith and Mrs. Mary Stuart.

### G. A. R. TO HOLD REGULAR MEETING MONDAY

The next regular meeting of Fortress Monroe, No. 8, N. D. of G. A. R., will be held in their hall next Monday evening.

### MRS. SABIN ENTERTAINS FRIENDS AT CARDS

The Tuesday bridge club meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Delbert Sabin this week. Three tables were played, after which prizes were awarded to Mrs. George Kuhaupt, Mrs. Dora Folbrink and Mrs. Ida Osmond.

### LADIES' GUILD TO MEET WITH MRS. SIBLEY

Mrs. Charles Sibley will entertain the Ladies' Guild of St. Ignatius church at a social meeting at her home next Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Joseph Panowski will assist her.

### MRS. CLARK IS HOSTESS TO 500 CARD CLUB

Mrs. Ernest Clark entertained the members of her 500 club Friday afternoon. Those winning prizes were Mrs. Paul Vezons, Mrs. N. L. Nelson and Mrs. Dora Folbrink.

Outside house paint with a 5-year guarantee, at \$2.50 per gallon. Chase Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Pesat returned from their winter home in Roseland, Fla., yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Melvin, from Los Angeles, Calif., formerly of Antioch, are visiting Fred Scott and other friends in Antioch, Woodstock and Richmond, this week.

Mrs. Ray Burnette underwent an operation for appendicitis and tumor at the county hospital in Waukegan Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nelson visited friends in Waukegan Saturday evening.

Golog to paint? Buy our guaranteed house paint at \$2.50 per gallon. Chase Webb.

Mrs. Clara Westlake and Miss Fanny Westlake were Chicago visitors Saturday.

### Personals

Mrs. N. C. Jensen and Miss Ella Jensen visited at the home of Mrs. N. C. Christensen Sunday.

Mrs. L. M. Weitzel, Kenosha, was an Antioch visitor Monday evening, when she attended the Past Matrons night of the Eastern Star.

Miss Hilma Hoelg, Mrs. N. L. Nelson, Elizabeth Jane Nelson and Mrs. Edwin Rentner were Waukegan visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Oberling have moved from their home above the Knott confectionery to the Morley house on Victoria street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson and family and Mrs. Mary Johnson, of Marengo, Ill., were visitors at the T. A. Somerville home Sunday. They were called by the illness of Mr. Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Toulton, of Janesville, spent the week-end with their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Toulton. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanders, of St. Louis, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McNeal and family, of Des Plaines, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyer Nelson and family.

Work shoes, priced from \$2.75 up to \$4.50, at Chase Webb's.

Mrs. Chauncey Flore, of Oak Park, and several of her friends visited at the William Roseng home Sunday.

Miss Julia Stricker, spent the week-end at her home in Madison, and attended the funeral of her aunt.

William Keulman attended the Chicago Jubilee last Wednesday and remained in Chicago for business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burnette, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Burnette and Miss Helen Burnette have moved from Parkway avenue to a farm a mile east of Loon lake. Ray Burnette is employed at Gurnee.

Garden tools of all descriptions at Chase Webb's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grange and two children, of Libertyville, spent Sunday with the parents of Mrs. Grange, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Warden.

The William Gray property on Parkway avenue has been purchased by Tom Burnette, who expects to move into the house some time this week. For the past eight years he and his family have lived above the Racket Store. Den Van Duzer is the present occupant of the Gray house.

Red King coffee, a real Santos, at 25 cents per pound. Chase Webb's.

Miss Helen Cribb, a junior in the school of pharmacy at Chicago, spent the week-end at her home.

See the 3-burner kerosene stove, with shelf, that I am selling for \$18. Chase Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mann and a group of friends from Chicago made a trip to Starved Rock Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pettigrew, of Chicago, arrived Tuesday for a visit of several days with the Frank Dunn family.

Dandelion weed killer, guaranteed to destroy all weeds in your lawn, at Chase Webb's.

Clairo Kelly is still in the Wesley hospital in Chicago, and his condition remains about the same.

Mrs. Peter Hurlgen and son, of Kenosha, spent Saturday with Mrs. Margaret Brogan and family.

T. A. Somerville is somewhat improved, after being seriously ill early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Chinn and son are expected home from Atva, Fla., soon. They will spend the summer here.

Special—Disston saws at \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.—Chase Webb.

Miss Daisy Richards began her vacation from duties at the post office May 13, and is now enjoying a trip through Michigan, accompanied by Miss Bonnah Drom.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rentner, accompanied by their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bolton, of Kenosha, were Chicago visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rentner and August Rentner visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Suhr, of Berwyn, Ill.

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### ANTIOCH GRADE SCHOOL WILL GRADUATE 28

#### Grade School Exhibit to Be Displayed to Public Friday

A class of twenty-eight will be graduated from the Antioch grade school next Tuesday evening, including sixteen boys and twelve girls. Nearly all of them expect to continue their education by attending the high school next fall. The graduates:

Bernie Vinters, Lester Chinn, Kenneth Crowley, Franklin Crandall, Armand Dalgaard, William Duffy, Oliver Grutzmacher, Xavier Hawkins, Oliver Hunt, Ray King, Stanley Lukka, Frank Merrill, Fowle Simpson, Arden Van Patton, Croyley Phillips, John Koukol, Ruth Chinn, Agnes Christensen, Marie Griffin, Elizabeth Hostetter, Agnes Teichert, Allen Jensen, Siney Kula, Dorothy Monnier, Helen Strang, Virginia Plamarsh, Anna Mao Turdock, Jane Warriner.

Antioch is combining with eight rural schools for the graduation exercises Tuesday evening, but the names of the graduates from those schools are unavailable, as the students do not write their final examinations until tomorrow.

#### Junior-Senior Prom Will Be Held Amid Cold Arctic Scenes

#### Parents and Friends Invited to View Dance Floor Before the Prom

The annual junior-senior banquet and promenade will be held at the high school building Saturday evening amid Arctic scenes and climes.

The auditorium has been transformed into a frigid northland—the land of the Eskimos. Panels painted with Arctic landscape surround the north and south sides; in the east stands an igloo where the thirsty Eskimos quench their thirst with melted iceles and snow. Above and beyond in the distance is visible an erupting volcano.

#### OAKLAND SCHOOL AWARDED DENTAL HEALTH PENNANT

A pennant was awarded Monday to the Oakland school, one mile east of Loon lake, for making the greatest improvement in dental hygiene throughout the school year of any of the Lake county schools.

A special program was arranged for the occasion at the school, and was attended by many of the parents. The presentation was made by County Superintendent W. C. Petty to Iteon Herman, who accepted for the school and expressed the appreciation of the students and the teacher, Miss Madelyn Sheehan, to Miss Pheta Waterman and Miss Gulliger, county health nurses, for their interest and encouragement during the year. Songs and oral readings followed.

Flashlight pictures by a representative of one of the Chicago dailies were taken at the time the pennant was presented.

The Antioch high school showed the second greatest per cent of improvement, and was followed by the Gurnee school.

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volcano. To the west, over the orchestra box, the bright rays of the midnight sun are cast over the bleak white land.

And do you think there is no life in this region? Life-like polar bears, eskimo huskies and reindeer roam among the icebergs where the little penguins perch. Myriads of iceles glitter in the cold blue light.

To enter this northern fairland, one must sloop through the door of an igloo—then, lo, the strains of music by the Seattle Nite Owls greet the ears.

The junior class, under the direction of their officers and class advisors, Fred Hackett and Miss Lillian Schroeder, have worked hard to produce this transformation, and have extended an invitation to all those desiring to view the scenes to come between 7 and 8, Standard Time.

Seniors will be treated to the very best of hospitality by the Eskimos, and will be given a rare opportunity to partake of a variety of Arctic dishes, prepared by Arctic maidens and served by cunning northern maidens and youths.

An exhibit of grade school work will be open to the public tomorrow, from 2 until 5 p. m., and from 7 until 9 p. m. Standard Time. Much of a child's knowledge is acquired through making things, and experimenting, and the exhibit will bear tangible evidence of education received.

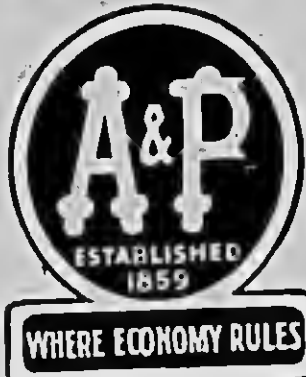
An exciting baseball game between the Antioch grade school and the high school freshmen ended in a narrow victory for the freshmen, 19-16, after two overtimes. At the beginning of the sixth inning the grade school seemed to have the game clinched, with a 12-3 lead, but after a number of substitutions, had been made on the grade school line-up, the freshmen rallied strongly, and with Courtney Ahole at the pitcher's plate finished in the lead. A return game will be played soon.

The high school baseball team was defeated by Warren last Friday, 12-3, in a game where little enthusiasm was shown by either team. Although Brogan did some excellent pitching, and held down the score, several runs were let in by Avery in the latter part of the game. The first half of the game was well-balanced, but in the second half Warren began leaping the bases for an easy victory.

A game with Loyden will be played here tomorrow afternoon.

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## Griffin Concludes Prize Essay on Meat Industry

### Tells of Utilization of Waste Products by Large Packers

The conclusion of Fred Griffin's essay on "A Great Industry Based Upon the Preparation and Distribution of Consumers' Food Products from Raw Farm Products," which was awarded fifth prize in the national essay contest sponsored by Swift and Company of Chicago, follows:

Already with this rapid expansion of business, Swift and Company realized the farmers need not only of a market for his livestock, but also a market and a way of transporting his dairy and poultry products from the producer to the consumer.

In 1900, Swift and Company began to handle these products, as with a few changes, these products could be shipped in the same refrigerator cars, sold by the same salesmen and retailers, delivered in the same wagons, and bottled by the same accounting forces. At this time 73 per cent of the butter consumed was made on the farm, whereas at the present time only 30 per cent is made by the farmer.

The milk and cream is sent to creameries, where it is tested for butterfat, flavor and acidity. It is also inspected and pasteurized to insure quality and purity. From here it goes through cooling coils, where ripening takes place before it is churned into butter.

**Poultry Products Inspected.** Before this great move by Swift and Company poultry and eggs were also carefully handled, and in many cases poultry was unfit to use when it reached the consumer. The eggs also had no size or quality from which the consumer could choose.

Today Swift and Company handles poultry and eggs through the same plants, where they are inspected, sorted and graded for marketing.

Swift and Company not only has to assemble this produce from the producer, but also has to distribute and market these products to the consumer.

As 75 per cent of the cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry are raised in the West and Middle West, of which about 67 per cent is consumed in the East, it is necessary for Swift and Company to own their plants, cars, storage houses, and other equipment needed.

**Equipment Owned.** Swift and Company employ about 55,000 men to carry on this national and international business. Thirty meat plants and seventy dairy and poultry produce plants are necessary. As Swift and Company sell to more than 200,000 retailers, it is necessary for them to operate about 8,000 refrigerator cars, which are cooled by brine tanks, filled with ice and salt. Overhead construction systems also perform a better cooling process, by which Swift and Company is able to handle about 15 per cent of the meat and about 10 per cent of the poultry and dairy products in the United States.

Since the animals produced on the farm have to be converted into meat, and the by-products utilized into merchantable goods, it is necessary to have such companies as Swift and Company to pack, manufacture, and distribute these products to the consumer. In some cases the cost of marketing is somewhat greater than the cost of production.

**Distribution of Price.** When a steer is shipped to Swift and Company, the producer receives about 57.8 per cent of the total retail price of the animal. The transportation to market amounts to 4.7 per cent, packing expenses and profit 15.5 per cent, retailer expenses and profit 22 per cent, and finally the consumer pays 100 per cent for the product he consumes.

Large packers as Swift and Company can utilize by-products efficiently and hence can operate on a small margin economically.

Within this margin Swift and Company maintains stockyards in country towns from which livestock can be shipped. At the plants animals are unloaded, fed, watered and held until sold. Some of the cattle, sheep and hogs are slaughtered and sold to buyers or shippers, and the light cattle are shipped to feeders.

The surplus product raised in the Middle West are shipped by refrigerator cars to the eastern and southern states, where there is not enough produced.

**Foreign Marketing.** The marketing in foreign countries may be done in various ways. It may be handled through direct representative, foreign agencies and brokers, or it may be done through direct sales to foreign merchants.

This requires not only the fulfillment of different tastes of different nationalities, but different business customs, languages and the exchange of money forms.

**Daily U. S. Consumption.** The daily consumption of meat in the United States is 50,000,000 pounds; butter, 5,000,000 pounds; cheese, 1,500,000 pounds; poultry, 4,500,000 pounds, and eggs, 5,500,000 dozen.

Swift and Company's total sales for 1929 amounted to \$1,000,000,000. Swift and Company with this direct marketing system, rapid turnover of goods from producer to consumer, and with its nation wide industry is able

## SCOUT NEWS

### Training Course for Leaders.

The approved training course for adult Scout leaders for 1931 will be held on Monday evenings and the first Saturday and Sunday of June, conducted by the leadership and training committee, Lake county council, Boy Scouts of America.

A minimum course was completed the first week in May, and resulted in twenty-nine completing the course. All of those graduates and others who have completed the minimum training course in previous years, are eligible to enroll in the sessions of the approved course.

Eighteen of the twenty-four troops in the Scout council now have at least one adult leader who has completed the minimum course. It is expected that as large a percentage of the troops will have leaders who have completed the approved course after the coming sessions have been run off.

The Monday evening meeting will be held at the First Methodist Episcopal church, Waukegan, Ill., and the June 6 and 7 sessions will be held at Camp Duncan, Fish Lake, near Volo, Illinois.

Donald L. Hains, deputy Scout commissioner in charge of training, will be Scoutmaster of the training troop into which the leaders will be organized, and Arne W. Makela, deputy commissioner for the reading program, will be assistant Scoutmaster.

**County Scout to Attend Culver.** Culver academy, at Culver, Ind., has again extended to the Lake county council, Boy Scouts of America, the privilege of sending a Scout to the summer school of woodcraft for one week in July or August.

Each of the twenty-two Scout troops in the council are being given the opportunity to name Scouts of their respective troops for this honor. When all nominations are received at council headquarters tomorrow, the selection will be made as to which Scout will represent Lake county Scouts this year. One or two local boys have attended the summer school of woodcraft for the Scout week periods every summer since 1925.

Last year two members of Troop 81, Antioch—John Brogan and Robert King—were selected to attend, and both won the Culver bronze "C", an achievement every Scout aims at when he goes to the Indiana school.

Registrar F. L. Brooks has stipulated that Scouts 13 and 14 years of age are invited to enroll for the Scout periods, and selection of the Scout from the Lake county council will be made from boys of that age now in the registered troops of the council territory.

**Troop 9 Wins First Aid Contest.** The first aid team representing Troop 9, Lake county council, Boy Scouts of America, after getting off to a poor start with the first problem, scored high in three of the remaining four problems and won first place in the second annual inter-troop first aid contest for Boy Scout troops that was held at the Waukegan township high school gymnasium last Friday evening.

All four of the leading teams scored a higher average per problem than the score of last year's winning team. Troop 9 averaged 90.6 per problem; Troops 1 and 11 a grade of 89 in each event, and Troop 3 scored 88.8. Last year's best average was 82 per cent per problem.

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### Following are the problems given in Friday evening's first aid contest.

Problem 1. Garage roof falls in and one boy can be seen from either end lying on floor. Opening is narrow and only 3 feet high. After rescue, patient is found to have fractured lower left leg. Time—6 minutes.

Problem 2. Patient found unconscious, lying on his back across live electric wire. Resuscitate and give artificial respiration for 1 minute. Time—5 minutes.

Problem 3. Scaffold breaks while two boys are repairing tree house. One boy is found to have cut on palm of left hand spurting blood. His companion has fractured right forearm. Treat. Time—8 minutes.

Problem 4. While building a campfire, Scout stumbles and burns both hands and cuts left knee. Treat and transport patient 5 feet on improvised stretcher. Time—3 minutes, not including transportation.

Problem 5. Troop on hike in hot sun. One boy becomes unconscious, face red and dry. Another boy on seeing him fall, becomes very pale with cold perspiration on forehead. Treat. Time—1 minute.

**Winning Team to Chicago.** The winning team will go to Chicago the first week in June to compete against representative teams from nine other suburban councils and from each of the seven Scout districts within the city of Chicago.

## Antioch U. of I. Senior Is Honored For Scholarship

Glenna Roberts, a senior at the University of Illinois, and a graduate of Antioch township high school, was among the students given recognition at the seventh annual Honors Day program last Friday morning which was held in honor of students who have excelled in scholarship during their educational endeavors.

Because of their superior scholarship in both their junior and senior years in the university, or because their scholastic average for the first seven semesters of their college career is equal to or higher than that of any student chosen on the basis of scholarship during his junior and senior year, thirty-one seniors saw their names inscribed on the bronze tablet, unveiled at the convocation, while some 900 other students were given recognition for superior scholarship.

**Three Classifications.** The honored students are classified in three ways: First, those whose grades are in the upper 10 per cent of each class are distinguished by "High Scholarship" and are entitled to have their names printed in the Honors Day program. Second, students in the upper 3 per cent of the sophomore, junior, and senior classes receive special mention as having manifested "Superior Scholarship." Third, those seniors who receive recognition for "Superior Scholarship" in both their junior and senior years earn the right to have their names inscribed on the bronze tablet which is unveiled during the Honors Day convocation.

Miss Roberts merited "High Scholarship."

## Conference Music Festival Called One Of Best In State

### John Tellasha and Richard Martin Occupy Coveted Violin Chairs

The festival is ended, but the memory lingers on—

The performances of the 500 students participating in the third annual northwest high school conference music festival held at Libertyville Monday evening, won enthusiastic admiration and applause from the record crowd attending.

Director Raymond F. Dvorak, guest conductor from the University of Illinois, who has conducted the organization for all three years, stated that he believed that the northwest conference festival could be excelled by none in the state, and that a marked improvement over last year's performance had been made, due to the increase of interest in music by conference instructors and students.

**"Gloria Patri" Holds Audience.** A hush fell upon the audience as the chorus took up the phrases of Palestrina's "Gloria Patri," and the antiphonal choir echoed them.

However, the entire performance, as rendered by the music students of all the conference schools on masses, showed a mastery, balance and rhythm, incredibly accomplished after but a day of untold practice.

Instructors introduced. A welcoming speech was given by the conference president, L. O. Bright, with whom the idea of a combined festival originated, who gave much credit for the success of the experiment to Mr. Dvorak, and briefly expressed the aims of the music directors for greater development next year. All the directors were introduced to the audience at the close of the festival.

**Antioch Boys Honored.** John Tellasha and Richard Martin brought glory to Antioch by being selected to occupy the first and third violin chairs, respectively.

**Hunter Golf Course  
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The formal seasonal opening of the Hunter golf course, Richmond, will take place Saturday and Sunday, May 23 and 24. Fees are \$1 each day. A season ticket will be given to some player during the opening days.

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Anna Trainor }  
vs. } In Chancery  
Charles C. Trainor } No. 27204

The requisite affidavit having been filed in the Office of the Clerk of said Court.

Notice is therefore hereby given to the said above named defendant, Charles C. Trainor, that the above named Complainant heretofore filed her Bill of Complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the Special Term of the Circuit Court of Lake County, to be held at the Court House in Waukegan in said Lake County, on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1931, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

L. J. WILMOT, Clerk.  
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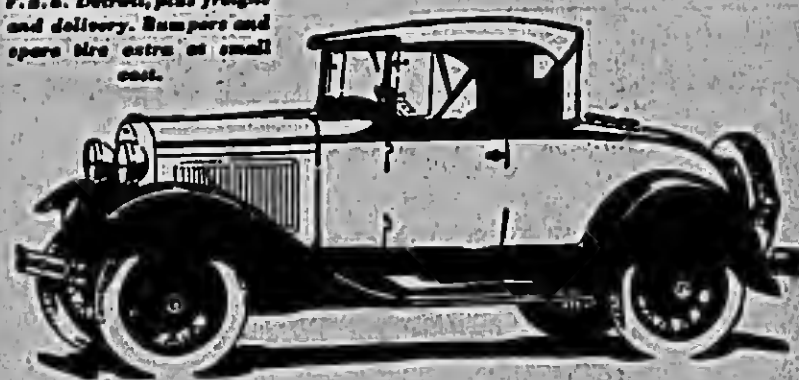
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## THREE LAKE VILLA MEN ATTEND THE KENTUCKY DERBY

### Several Young Folks Take Part in Conference Music Festival

Ed Liedo, George Wallis and William Marks left Friday for Louisville, Ky., to attend the Derby.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Tweed, Mrs. Paul Avery and Paul Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Hooper, Mrs. Murrie and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hamlin were among those who attended the music festival at Libertyville Monday evening, and Dorothy Hooper, Ruth Avery, Lena Nelson, Hazel Tweed and Gordon Hamlin were among those from here participating in the work of orchestra, band, chorus or glee clubs. It surely was a feast of music.

Mrs. W. G. Hucker made a business trip to Chicago Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hucker are at their summer home at Chetek, Wis., for a few weeks.

Charles Peterson made a business trip to Rockford Saturday.

Mrs. Mosby, a friend from Minnesota, who is visiting her, spent a couple of days last week with friends at Glen Ellyn.

Mrs. Fred Funk was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hoffman, in Chicago, a few days recently.

Mrs. Eleanor Toltz, of Chicago, spent the past two weeks with her brothers, William and Henry Peterson, and her sister, Mrs. H. C. Dixon, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Hooper spent Wednesday in Chicago and attended a banquet in the evening.

The Plunkett dinner served at the church Monday evening was well attended and much enjoyed. It was well served and there was plenty of delicious food.

Mr. and Mrs. William Walker visited relatives in Southern Wisconsin Sunday.

Mrs. John Gribb was removed to the Victory Memorial hospital Sunday afternoon and will undergo a course of treatments there. Her cousin, Mrs. Alice Phalen, of Kenosha, is caring for the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nader and Mrs. Nader's sister, Miss Minnie Keunitz, of Columbia, Wis., who has been visiting here the past two weeks, drove to Fond du Lac Sunday to spend the day with another sister.

Mrs. Frank Wood entertained the bridge club at her home last Thursday afternoon. Following noon luncheon the afternoon was spent playing bridge. Mrs. Al Boehm won first prize. Mrs. Joe Nader second, and Mrs. Paul Avery consolation prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Norton and Mr. and Mrs. George Gray, of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Avery at their home at Cedar Lake. They moved last week and will be at the lake all summer.

Mrs. Paul Avery and Mrs. Carl Miller were in Libertyville Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Nanta, of Waukegan, spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Lester Hamlin.

The board of directors of the Woman's Club met with the president, Mrs. Nixon, at Allendale last week on Wednesday to outline the work for the coming year.

## Hickory School Will Close For Vacation Soon

Our school closes Tuesday, May 26. The Emmons school hall team played our Hickory-Bean Hill team at our school grounds Friday afternoon. Emmons won, 10-7.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Pedersen, of Chicago, called at the Alfred Pedersen and Chris Paulsen homes Sunday afternoon.

Many of the old neighbors and friends attended the funeral of Fred Achens, at Kenosha, Friday afternoon. Interment was in Hickory cemetery.

Joe White, of Bensenville, called on George Tillotson and several of his old neighbors Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brumfield, of Lake Villa, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bonnette, of Waukegan, were Friday evening callers at the Chris Paulsen home.

Mrs. O. L. Hollenbeck returned home after spending the past week at Edison Park.

Miss Mabel Oleott is spending a few weeks in Waukegan.

Miss Shirley Hollenbeck, of Waukegan, spent Sunday afternoon at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Thompson and Helen called at Phil Gould's at Grayslake Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sorenson, of Waukegan, called on Alfred Pedersen's and Chris Paulsen's Sunday evening.

Mrs. Ray Bishop and Mrs. Alva Seville, of Kenosha, spent Wednesday at George Tillotson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Paulsen and family visited Arthur Pedersen and children, of Waukegan, Sunday afternoon.

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## TREVOR MAN DIES AFTER LONG PERIOD OF ILL HEALTH

### Trevor School to Be Closed Friday; Picnic and Trip Planned

Joseph Zmrly, who has been in poor health for some time, was taken seriously ill last week. He was removed to a hospital in Waukegan Saturday evening and passed away Sunday morning. The body was taken to Chicago, where services will be held with interment in Chicago. He leaves his widow and two daughters, Mildred and Evelyn.

School will close Friday, May 22, with a picnic. Dinner will be served at Social Center hall at noon. The children will then be taken to Kenosha county park where they will enjoy the playground equipment.

Mrs. Henry Lubeno entered the Kenosha hospital Tuesday, where she was operated on for inward sores, on Thursday.

Harold Mickle returned home Friday from the St. Luke hospital in Chicago, where he received treatment for his arm which was injured in an auto accident last December.

Mr. and Mrs. George Faulkner, of Wilmett, spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Patrick.

The pupils of the seventh and eighth grades and the pupils attending the Wilmett high school attended the prom at the Wilmett gymnasium Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klurade and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Klurade, of Antioch, spent Thursday evening at the Joseph Smith home.

Mrs. George Kolberg and son, of Chicago, spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. Ottila Schumacher. Mr. Kolberg came for the week-end and all returned to their home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mary Fleming spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Elker-

ton, in Kenosha, and on Sunday accompanied them to Chicago to visit Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fleming and daughter, Mary Katherine.

Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald and children, of Silver Forest, called on the Fleming family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and daughters, Betty and Dorothy, of Chicago, with their sister, Miss Mary Sheen, who spent the past week with them, returned for the day Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Patrick and sons spent Sunday evening with the Patrick families.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Schonscheck and children, of Lake Villa, were Thursday evening visitors at the Fred Forster home.

Mrs. George Carroll spent the past week in Chicago with friends and attended the funeral of a nephew.

The Silver Star 4-H club held their meeting at Social Center hall Thursday evening.

Miss Florence Ridge, of Whitewater, was a Saturday evening dinner guest at the Fred Forster home.

Harry Emmerson, of Chicago, visited his uncle, L. H. Mickle, Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Fannanizer was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. John Gever attended a surprise on Mrs. L. Lasco, at Antioch, Thursday evening.

Karl Oetting and friend called at the Will Murphy home, in Burlington, Wednesday evening.

Week-end visitors at the Charles Oetting home were the Misses Bentrice and Adline and Nell Stanley, of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Forster entertained on Sunday for the latter's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mencke, Henry and Gloria Mencke, Miss Emma Mencke and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mencke, of Chicago.

Charley Thornton, of Antioch, visited Sunday at the D. A. McKay home.

Miss Smidthers, of Honey Creek, will return here as teacher of the higher grades, and Miss Doris McKelley, of Antioch, will have charge of the primary room next year.

The members of the Wilmett Eastern Star chapter will sponsor a 500 card party at the Masonic hall Friday afternoon.

## SAWDUST NEWS

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Have you noticed—the days are getting longer. Pretty soon there'll be time to mow the lawn after supper.

You have been wishing for a new home. You have outgrown your present home. But can you rent or sell to any advantage just now? Wouldn't it be the wise thing to modernize your present home, and really enjoy it while you wait for an opportunity to sell or rent it?

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We've decided not to become an aviator until they take down all the trees, high buildings and telegraph wires.



We know of several homes here in Antioch that would be improved 100 percent just by making a sun parlor out of an old porch. Just think what that would mean to your property.

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We don't believe it, but they were telling us the other day about the husband here in Antioch who is so considerate of his wife he always oils the lawn mower for her before she goes to work.

Maybe your car does need washing once in a while, but if it sits in the rain too often it's likely to become rheumatic.

Another thing we have often wondered is where these "girl bandits" are able to hide their revolvers.

More people have started on the road to financial independence through home ownership than any other way. See us for plans and estimates.

It's about time for everybody to start telling the high school seniors that these are the happiest days of their lives. Don't you believe it, young folks, the older you get, the more you'll enjoy yourselves.

## A STORY OF PRIVATE INITIATIVE AND LOCAL CAPITAL

### Chapter III

## MAKING "SERVICE" MEAN SOMETHING

THE "LAKE COUNTY EXPERIMENT" demonstrated a new and better method of bringing electric service to scattered suburban and rural communities in northern Illinois. One centrally-located electric station was substituted for a dozen small local plants—and wooden pole lines carried service long distances to twenty-two customer-communities. But the story of the Lake County Experiment has already been told...

What had been done once could be done again. What had worked in Lake County could be made to work over 6,000 square miles of territory surrounding Chicago. And that was the job of the Public Service Company twenty years ago.

All over northern Illinois, local electric stations that served only one town were abandoned. A few modern stations capable of serving twenty... thirty... forty towns replaced them. This extension of the "central station" idea demonstrated by the Lake County Experiment brought service to almost 100 new communities within a few years.

The wooden wire-strung poles that paralleled every main highway became symbols of a new era of electric service—a service that was available twenty-four hours a day instead of a meager six. It meant much to the residents of northern Illinois.

Storms, however, still played havoc with these pole lines. Terrific winds uprooted poles, tore down wires. Service was interrupted. Trouble-shooting crews were dispatched at once to repair the damage. They

worked twenty-four hour shifts, if necessary. But service had been interrupted.

So the next job was to forestall as many of these interruptions as possible. The network of pole lines was strengthened. Old lines were replaced with new lines of sturdier design. Communities had service brought to them over more than one route. In case of an accident on the main line, service could be switched immediately to an indirect or "detour" line. The large investment in this reconstruction program resulted in a definite advance toward the high quality of service which is taken for granted today.

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## NOTICE OF DANCE

A May scale dance will be held at St. Peter's hall Saturday evening, May 23, sponsored by the Young Ladies' Sodality. A door prize of \$5 will be awarded; good music will be provided and refreshments served. Bring your girl and be welcomed in! (41c)

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EARL T. PITMAN, Executor as aforesaid, Waukegan, Ill., May 14, 1931.  
RUNYARD & BEHANNAN, Attorneys for the Executor. (43)

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## WILMOT PIRATES SECURE KENOSHA LEGION MINSTRELS

### Juniors and Seniors Enjoy Banquet and Prom in Japanese Garden

The Wilmot Pirates have been most fortunate in securing the American Legion minstrels from Kenosha for the evening of Tuesday, May 26, when they will appear at the Wilmot gymnasium with four acts of musical diversification, laughs, and special numbers.

The minstrels have appeared in Kenosha, Racine, Union Grove, and other towns with this year's production and have been greeted with capacity audiences, for their show is excellently staged and highly entertaining.

Frank Zoubek, master of ceremonies, will introduce the entertainers and the Legion minstrel orchestra, directed by Gen. Saffig, who is also the pianist, will be present. The orchestra is composed of George Manupollar, Fred Ostlund, Albert Landini, Fred Klove, Ray Coshun, John Gorman, Ray Lambrecht, and Jay Rose.

The second act is devoted to Clyde Stoneman, the Man of Mysteries, who spellbinds the audience with his art and magic. In the third act George Manupollar, saxophonist, Gene Saffig, and the minstrels render several numbers. In the concluding act, Frank Zoubek, Interlocutor, and the end men in costumes of blue and yellow have the stage. Ward Quinn, well known locally, is to appear in several dances. A fashion show is included in the program.

Tickets went on sale at the Hegeman drug store Tuesday. Reserved seats may be secured by calling Wilmot 273.

### Union Free High School.

The annual junior prom of the Wilmot high school was held at the gymnasium Friday evening and there was a large attendance. The prom this year was one of the prettiest affairs held in connection with the school, and elaborate preparations were made to carry the party to a successful conclusion.

Richard De Bell, president of the junior class, was prom king, leading the maid march with Miss Gwendolyn Sargent. The Golden Troadaders of Burlington, directed by Francis Rosenheim, provided the music.

The gymnasium had been transformed into a Japanese garden. Lanterns, cherry trees, and lattice work combined with trees and morning glories to create a beautiful scene.

Miss Alice Kendall, of the commercial department, directed the activities of the junior class.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Batten and Rose Batten, of Pleasant Grove, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Faltner.

Debate on the subject, "Immigration," was given before the Thursday assembly. Those in the affirmative were Amy Harn, Dorothy Dean and Richard Hansen; and those in the negative, Richard Arvidson and Lyle Neuman.

The local baseball team defeated Genna City in a close and exciting game on the local grounds Thursday afternoon, 9-8. Arthur Hartman pitched the game.

The southeastern high school conference met at Williams Bay Tuesday for the annual meeting. Next year's basketball schedules were prepared.

The 1931 commencement exercises will be held June 4, and class day exercises June 2.

The committee in charge has arranged to hold the annual banquet at the Wilmot gymnasium Friday evening. Emma Kruckman was out over the weekend from Chicago, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kruckman and Elizabeth Kruckman.

Fern Jacobl accompanied Mrs. D. Jacobl and Victor Hart, of McHenry, to Elgin, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Dobyns, of Quincy, were weekend guests of the

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## Baccalaureate Services Will Be Held Here Sunday

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students who avail themselves of a last opportunity for "educated fun" in their stunts and good-natured ridicule in the class prophecy.

Valedictories will be delivered by Marie Shadok and Ward Edwards, whose averages for the four years figure in a tie. Another honorary title will be given Ruth Mapes, who entered in her junior year from Courtenay, Wis., and whose grades have been exceptionally high.

The program will include the class prophecy and class will, musical numbers by the senior chorine, directed by the class president, Olive Hansen, and the orchestra, individual and group acts, and a humorous reading.

### Graduation June 1

Major Imrie, from the Culver, Ind., Military Academy, has been obtained to address the graduating class of '31. He is reputed to be a speaker of much force and interest, and greatly pleased those Antioch instructors who heard him at the Illinois high school conference at Urbana last year.

The class of '31 has forty candidates for graduation, exceeding by fourteen the largest number ever before graduated from one class. From their freshman year the members have been active in athletics, in the musical and agricultural departments and other organizations while they held their own in scholarship.

Masonic hall. Play will start at 2 o'clock, and a general invitation is extended.

Services at the M. E. church will start at 8 o'clock each Sunday evening in the future in place of the former hour of 7:30.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will meet at the church parlors this afternoon.

Pentecost services at the Lutheran church will be held in German at 10 Sunday morning, and English at 8 in the evening.

### Macao Well Peopled

Macao, a country under the Portuguese government, is one of the most densely populated countries in the world. It has a population of 77,968, and the population per square mile is 12,867.

## ANTIOCH BASEBALL TEAM DEFEATS FOX LAKE IN 1ST GAME

The Antioch baseball team is off for a good start for the season, having won from Fox Lake in the first game Sunday, 19-6. A remarkable demonstration of pitching was shown by Brown, and tied Murrell made a beautiful running catch in the fifth inning, to the tune of another out for Fox Lake. The one homer of the game was socked by a Fox Lake man. The first home game will be played with the Millburn A. C. Sunday.

### Movable Dates

Because the early Egyptian calendar allowed exactly 365 days to a year, a festival observed on a fixed date would occur a day earlier every four years, until in the course of 1,460 years it had been observed at every season and was back at the starting point.

### Just Wanted to Know

Huskind and wife were seated at breakfast, when the former completed of the taste of the bacon. The wife promptly rang for the maid, and when the girl appeared she said, calmly, "Tell me, Mary, what did you do with that bacon we poisoned for the rats?"—London Tit-Bits.

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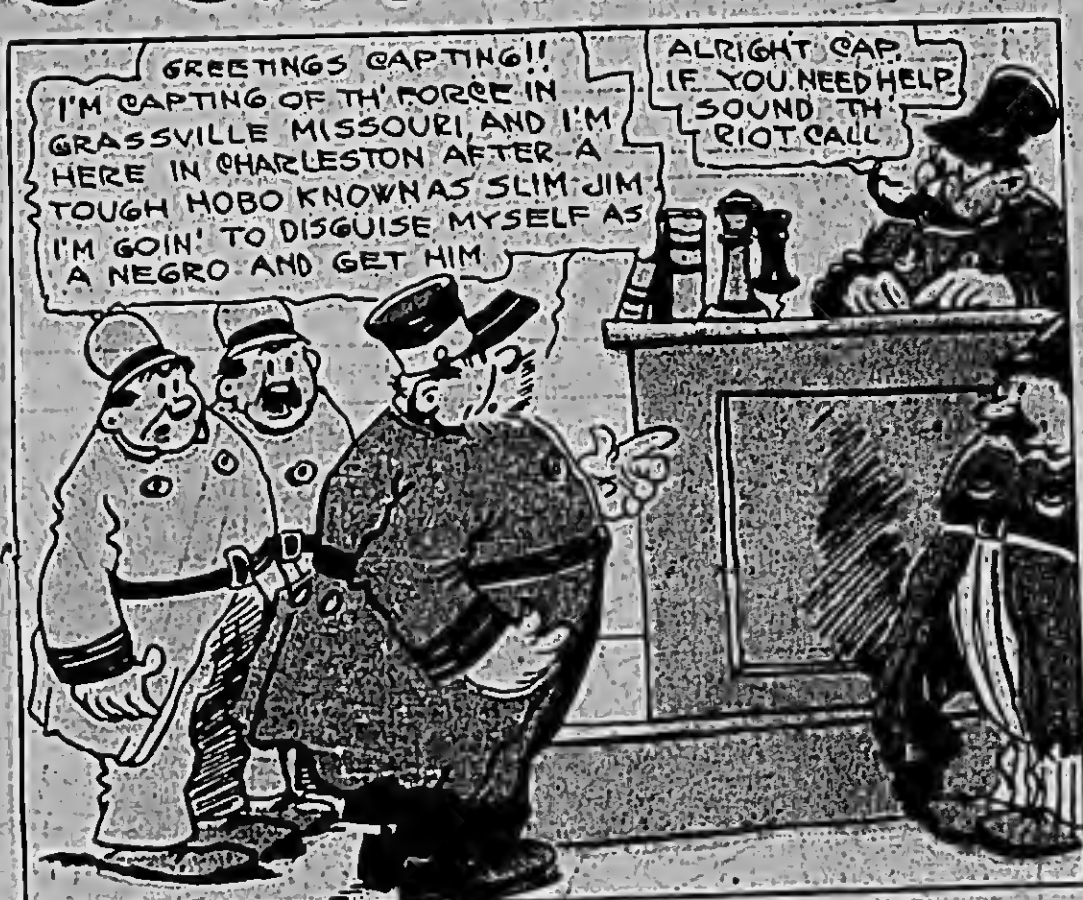
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Antioch, Illinois, Thursday, May 21, 1931

COMIC SECTION

GREETINGS CAPTAIN!! I'M CAPTAIN OF THE FORCE IN GRASSVILLE MISSOURI, AND I'M HERE IN CHARLESTON AFTER A TOUGH HOBO KNOWN AS SLIM JIM. I'M GOIN' TO DISGUISE MYSELF AS A NEGRO AND GET HIM.

ALRIGHT CAP IF YOU NEED HELP SOUND THE RIOT CALL.




HAR-HAR!! SLIM WOULDN'T GUESS IN A THOUSAND YEARS WHO I AM!!



SAY-Y-Y!! CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA IS SOME LITTLE BURG, AND THERE'S OL' UNCLE TOM HIMSELF AMBLIN DOWN THE STREET.

BY GRAY!! IT'S SLIM.



MAH-H-H GOODNESS ME!! AM IT OL' SLIM JIM DAT GREETS OL' TOM?

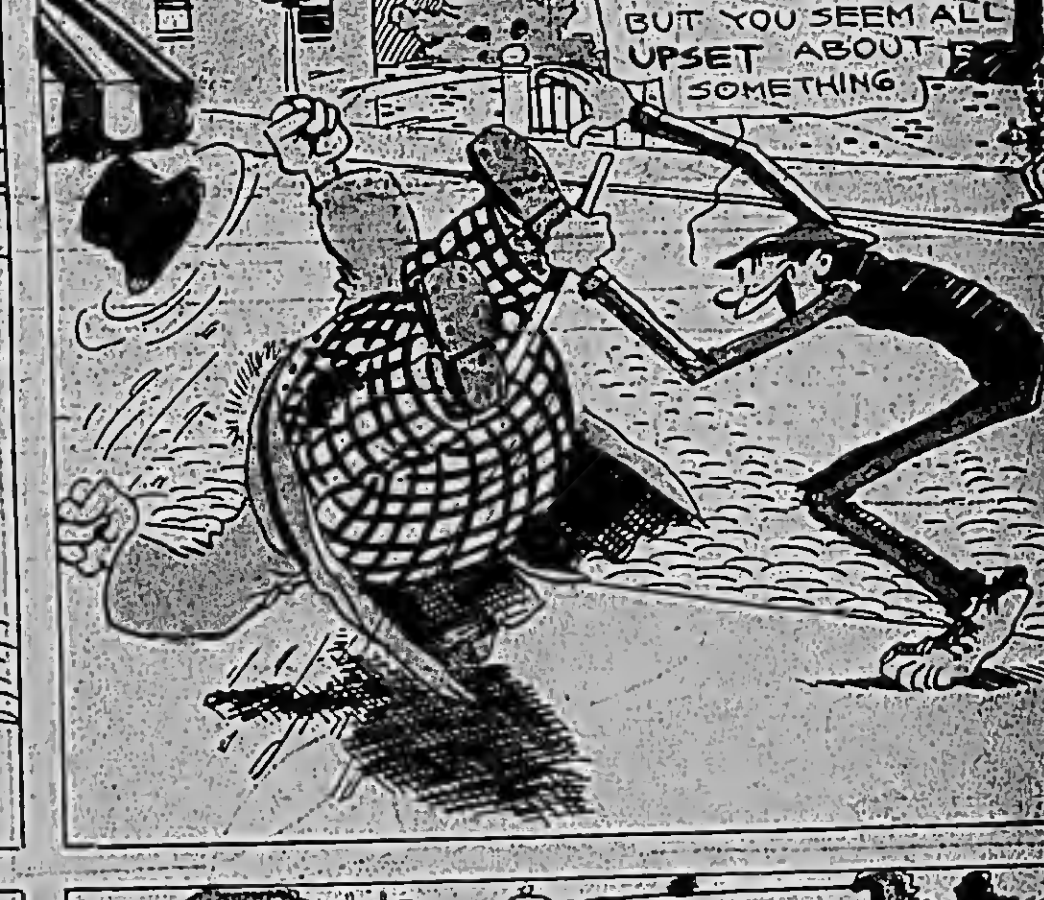
LO SNOWBALL!! HOW'S DE OL' BOY?



HAWR-HAWR!! LOOK SLIM!! OL' CAP'S SO GLAD TO SEE YA THAT HE'S GOIN' T' HOLD RIGHT ON TO YA.

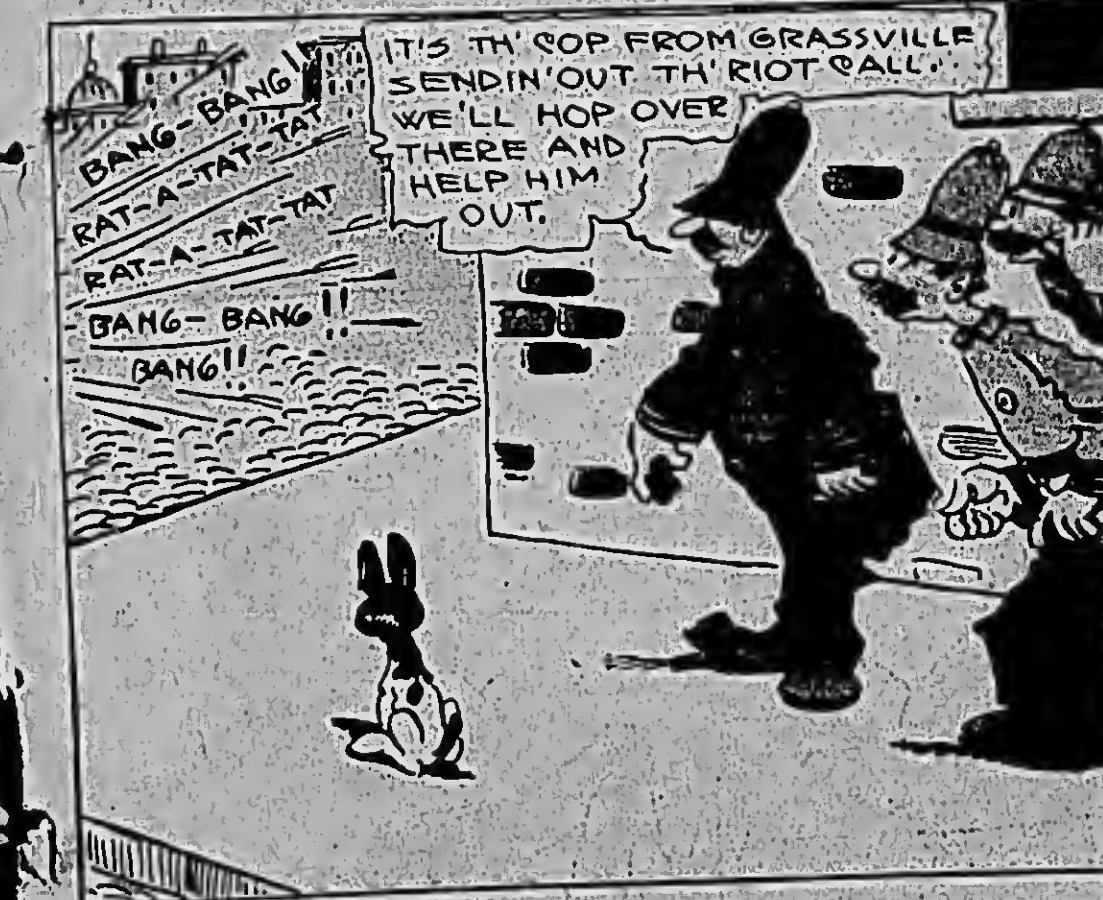


SCUSE ME CAP!! BUT YOU SEEM ALL UPSET ABOUT SOMETHING.



IT'S TH' COP FROM GRASSVILLE SENDIN' OUT TH' RIOT CALL. WE'LL HOP OVER THERE AND HELP HIM OUT.

BANG-BANG!! RAT-A-TAT-TAT RAT-A-TAT-TAT BANG-BANG!! BANG!!



I HAD HIM AND HE GOT AWAY. HE SCOOTED OFF UP TH' STREET.

THE POLICE OF CHARLESTON NEVER FAIL TO CATCH THEIR MAN. WATCH OUR SMOKE!!



CHARLESTON ZOO. THERE HE IS, SURROUND HIM!!

HE'S TAKIN' TO TH' GIRAFFE.



HELLO GENTS!! YER A LITTLE TOO LATE T' GO UPON DIS ELEVATOR.

CHARLESTON ZOO.

LEAVE THAT GIRAFFE ALONE YOU MEASLY IMP!!

ROUND TO GATE. WE'LL KETCH HIM INSIDE!!



STOP!! HALT!! WHOA!!

CHARLESTON ZOO ANIMALS.

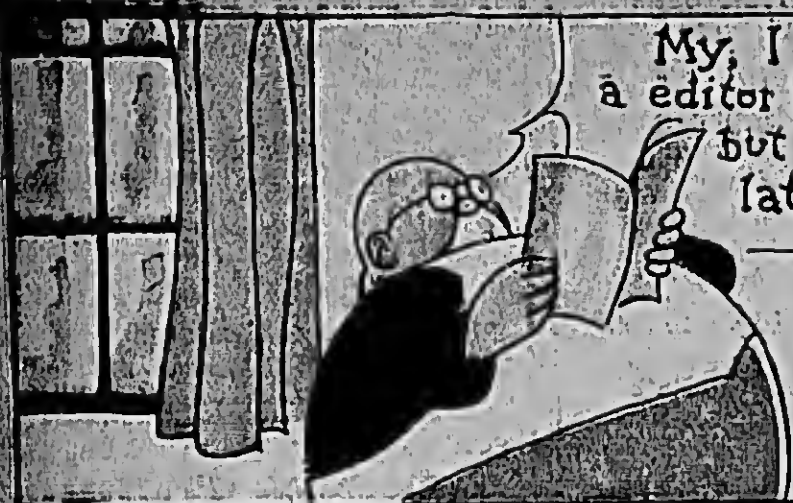
DONT LET HIM GET OUT!!



CAME TO CHARLESTON AND GAVE DE COPS DE LAUGH AND NOW I'M LEAVIN' ON A FRISKY TOLD GIRAFFE.

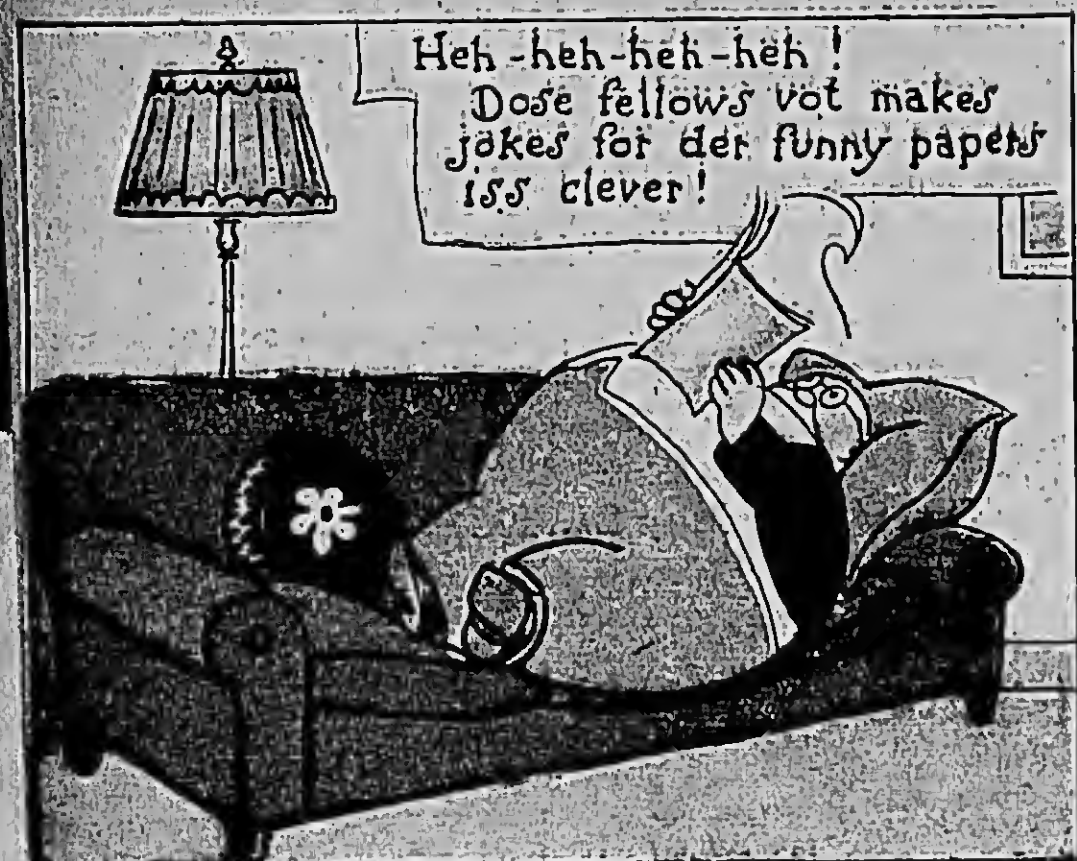




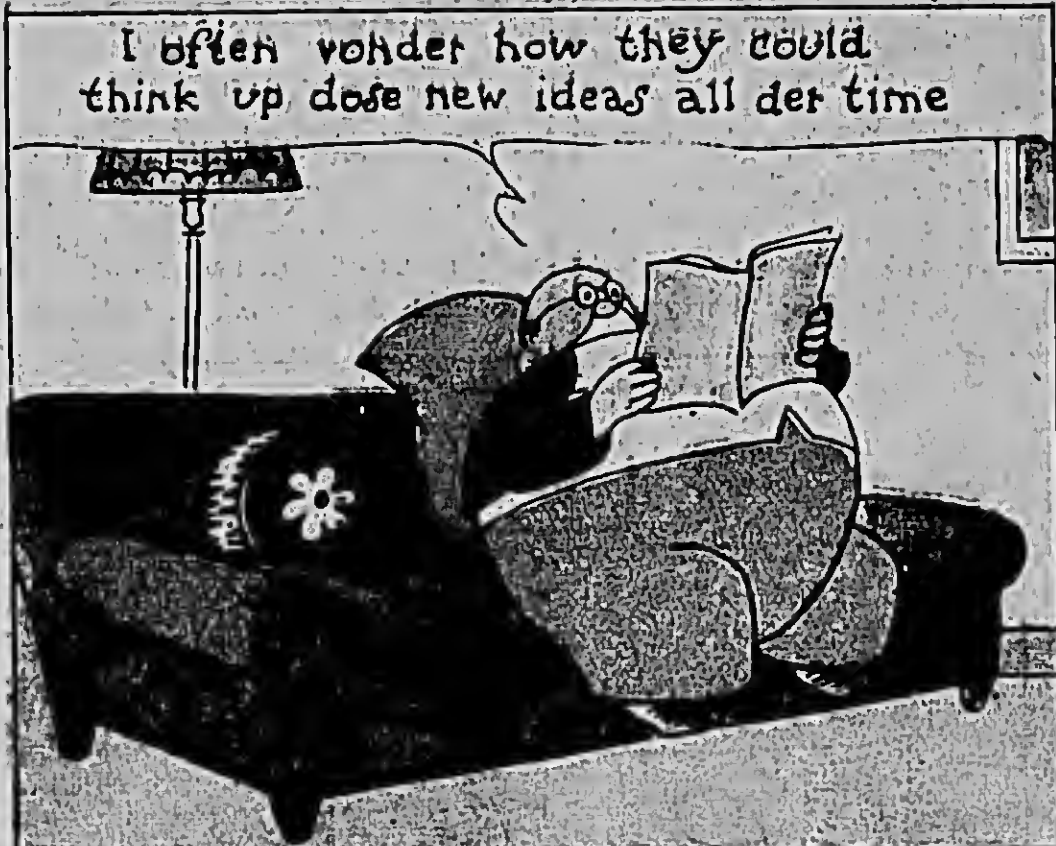


My, I would like to be a editor! Nothing to do but read all der latest funny stories!

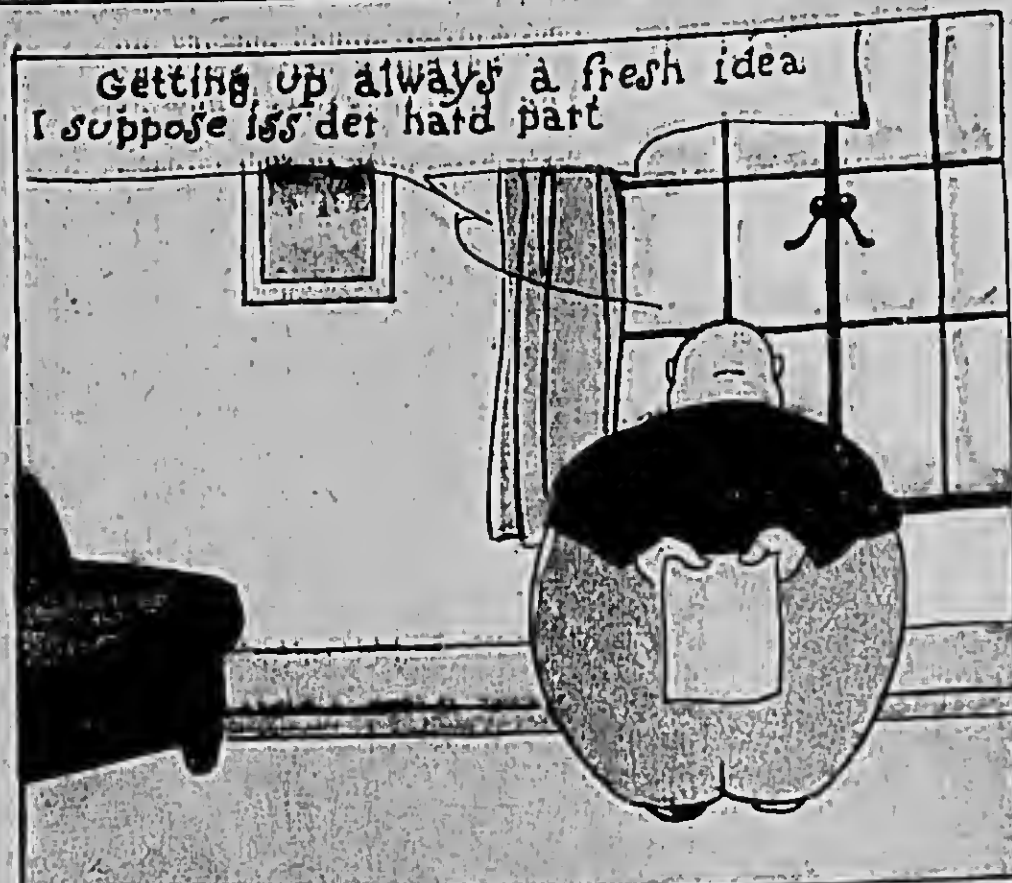
# The Outline of Oscar



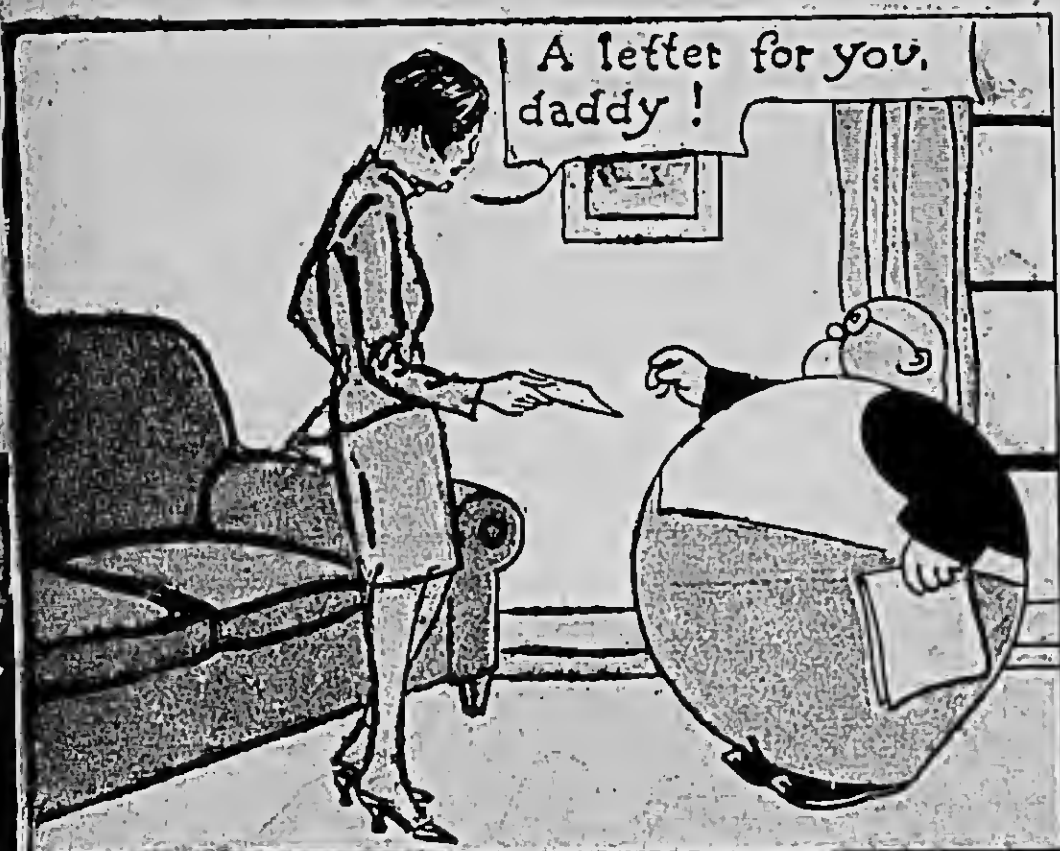
Heh-heh-heh-heh! Dose fellows vot makes jokes for der funny papers iss clever!



I often wonder how they could think up dose new ideas all der time



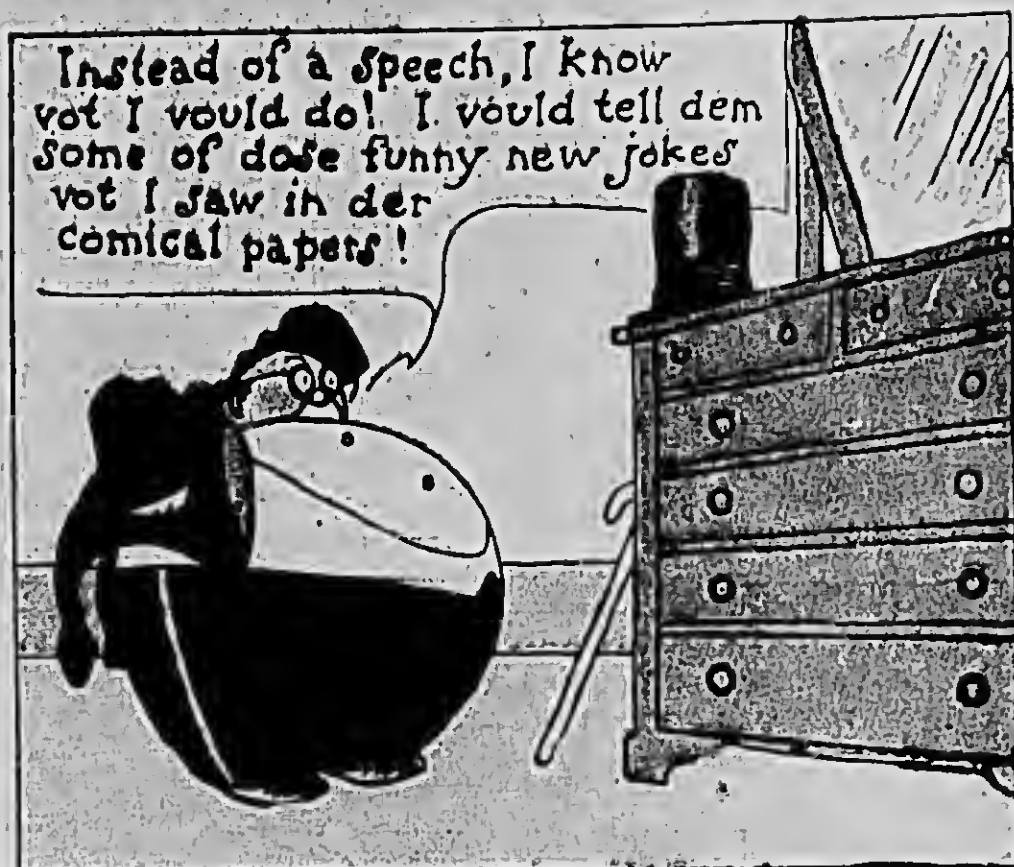
Getting up always a fresh idea I suppose iss der hard part



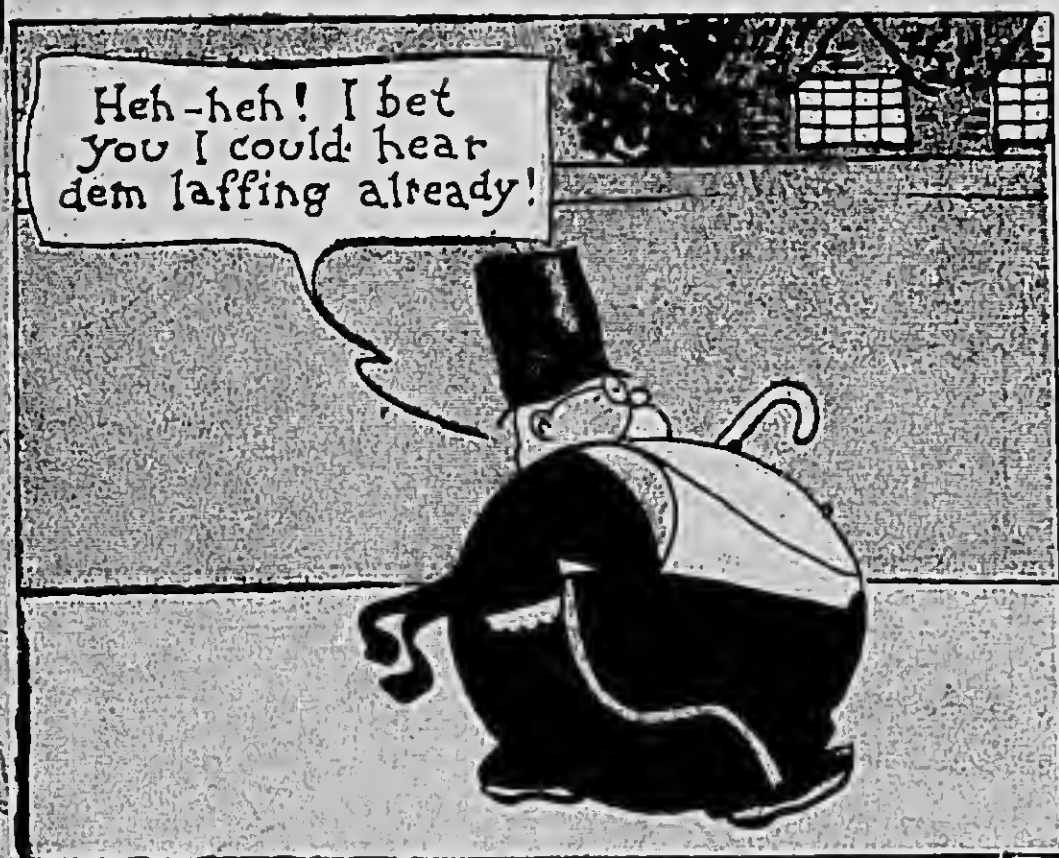
A letter for you, daddy!



Oook! Comes a invitation to a banquet-und I would have to make a speech!



Instead of a speech, I know vot I would do! I would tell dem some of dose funny new jokes vot I saw in der comical papers!



Heh-heh! I bet you I could hear dem laffing already!



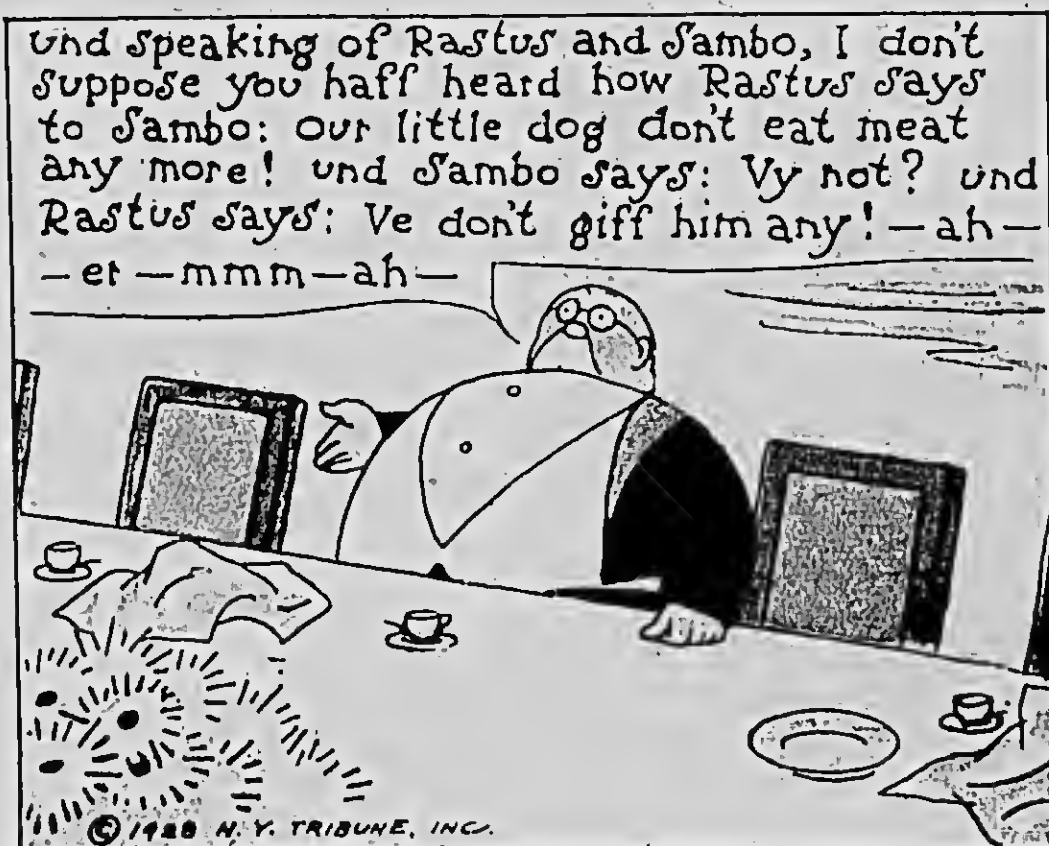
Mister Toastmaster, Ladies und Chentlemen - I am already reminded of dose two Irish fellows, Pat und Mike. Pat says to Mike: who vos dot lady I saw you with? Und Mike says-heh-heh-dot vos no lady, dot vos my vife! - -



vich calls to mind der story about Rastus und Sambo, how Rastus says: Sambo, I bet you you are so dumb you don't know George Vashington iss dead! und Sambo says: George Vashington dead! I didn't even know he vos sick! - - er - mmm -



Minz is a terrible flop! Where did he dig up those ancient wheezes?



Und speaking of Rastus and Sambo, I don't suppose you haff heard how Rastus says to Sambo: our little dog don't eat meat any more! und Sambo says: Vy not? und Rastus says: Ve don't giff him any! - ah - - er - mmm - ah -



Nobody laffed! I should haff told dem der good old favorites vot effiybody knows!

MOTHER MAY I GO OUT TO VOTE?  
YES MY DARLING DAUGHTER - ONE REEL -

AND WHAT CAN I DO FOR YOU, LADY?

I WANT TO VOTE -

ALL RIGHT! WHAT'S YOUR NAME?

IDA NOE -

WELL WHO DOES?

WHO DOES WHAT?

KNOW YOUR NAME -

WHY, I DO! IDA NOE -

HELP!



# TEN FATHOMS DOWN

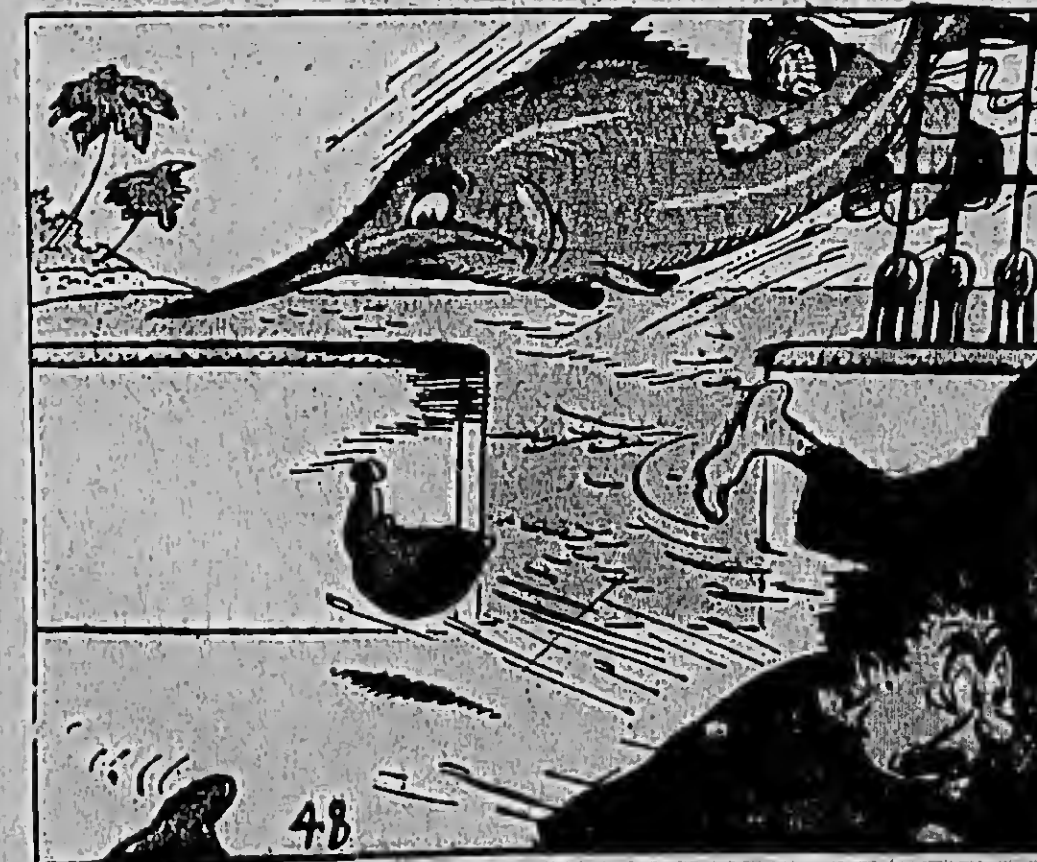
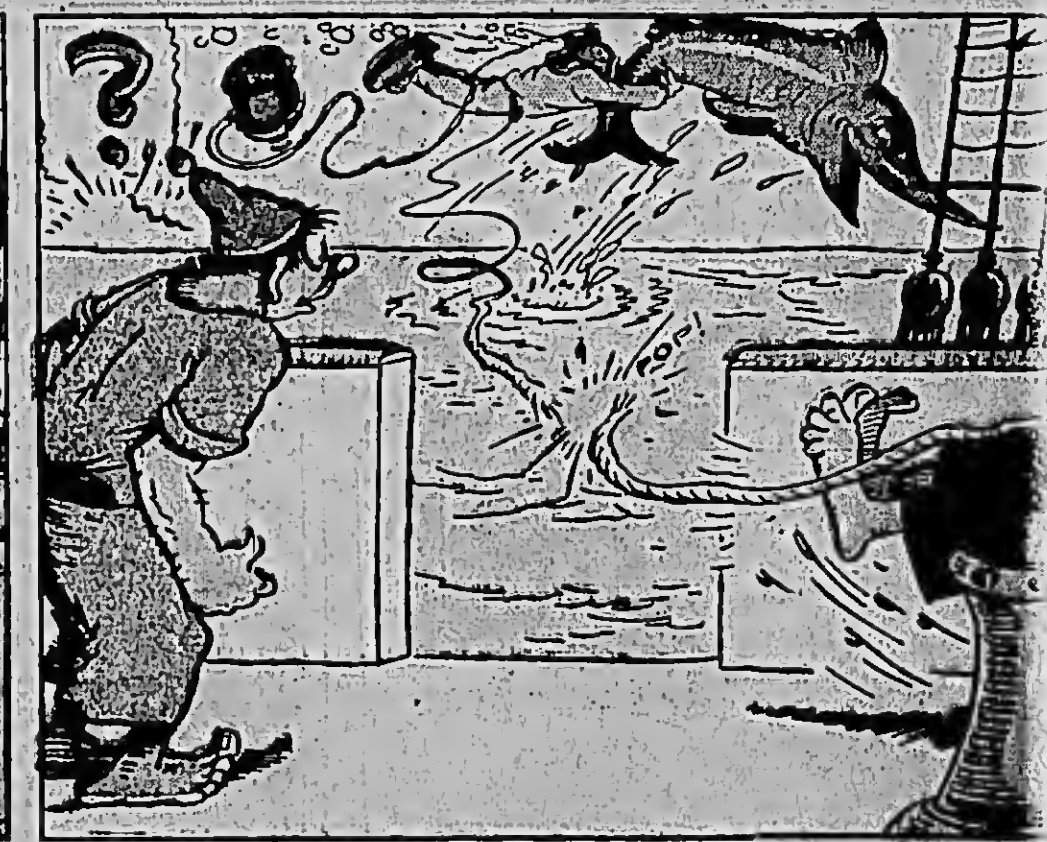
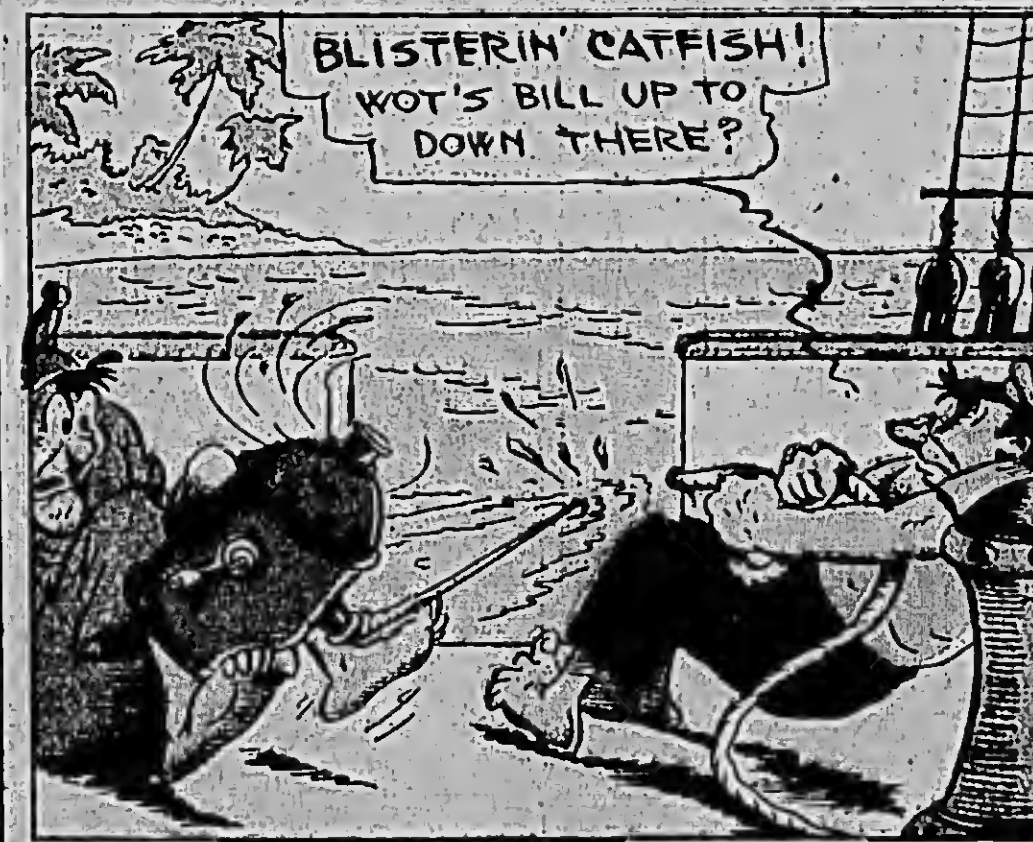
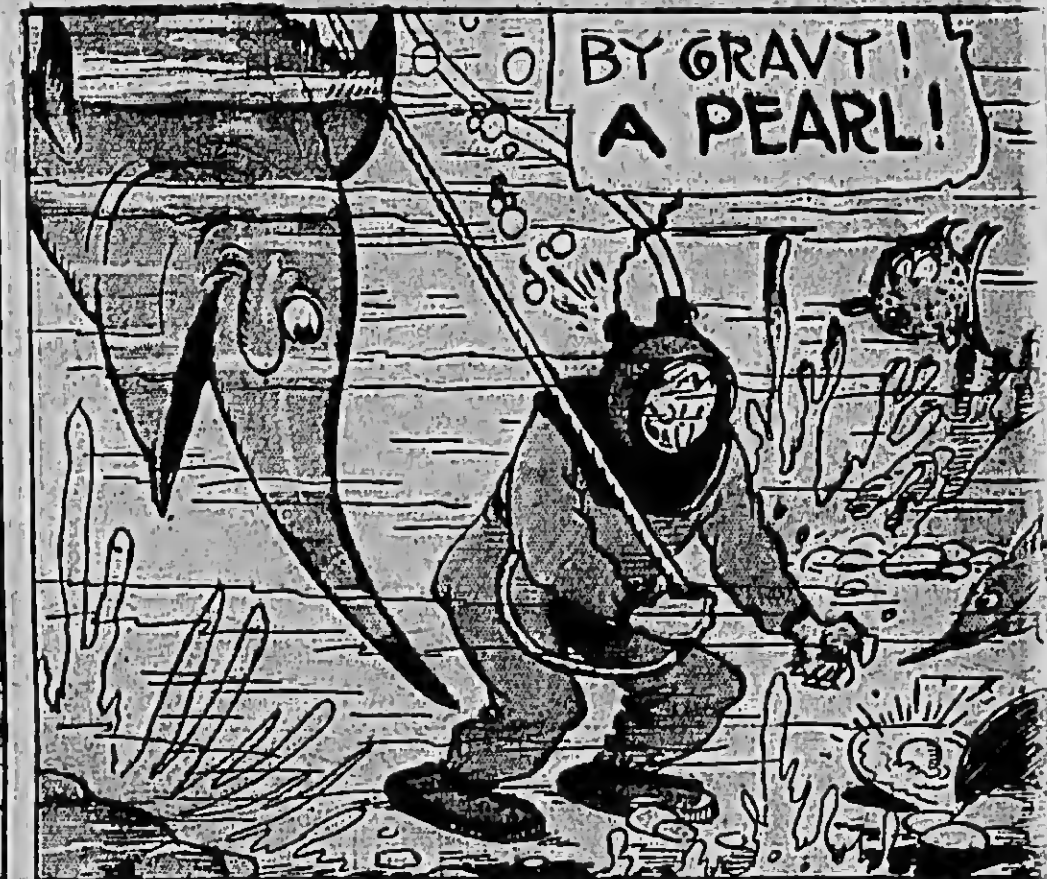
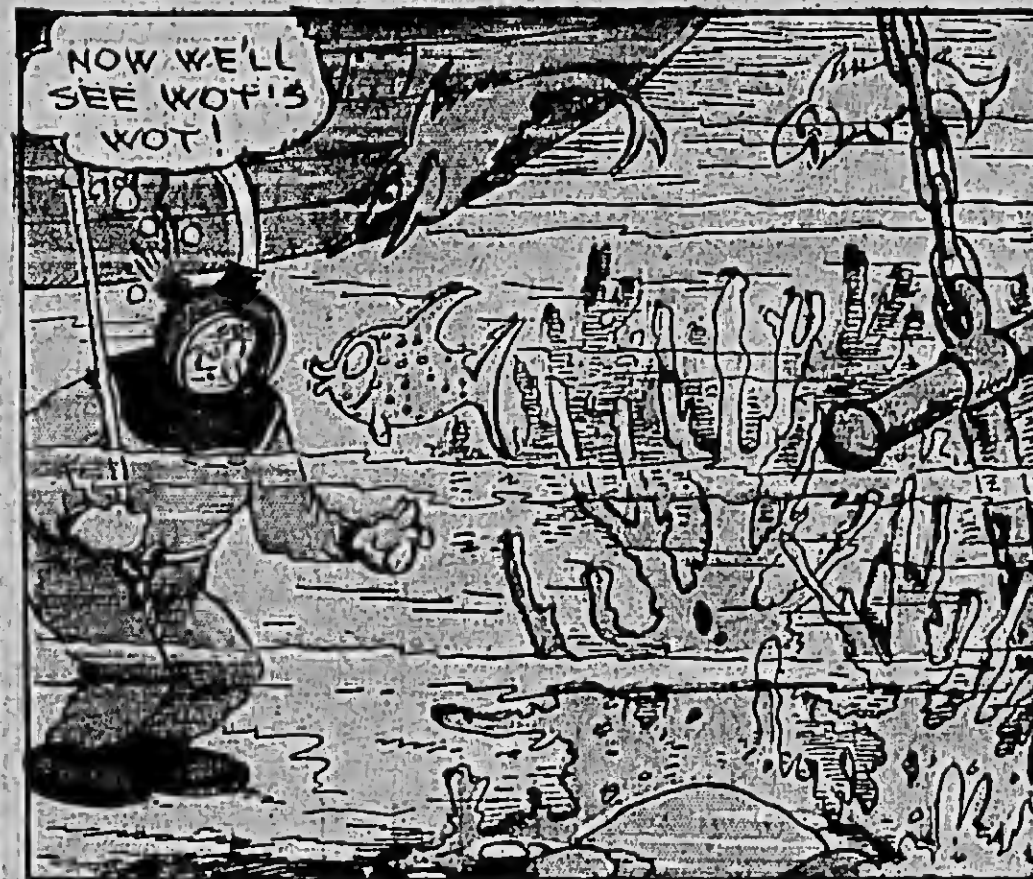
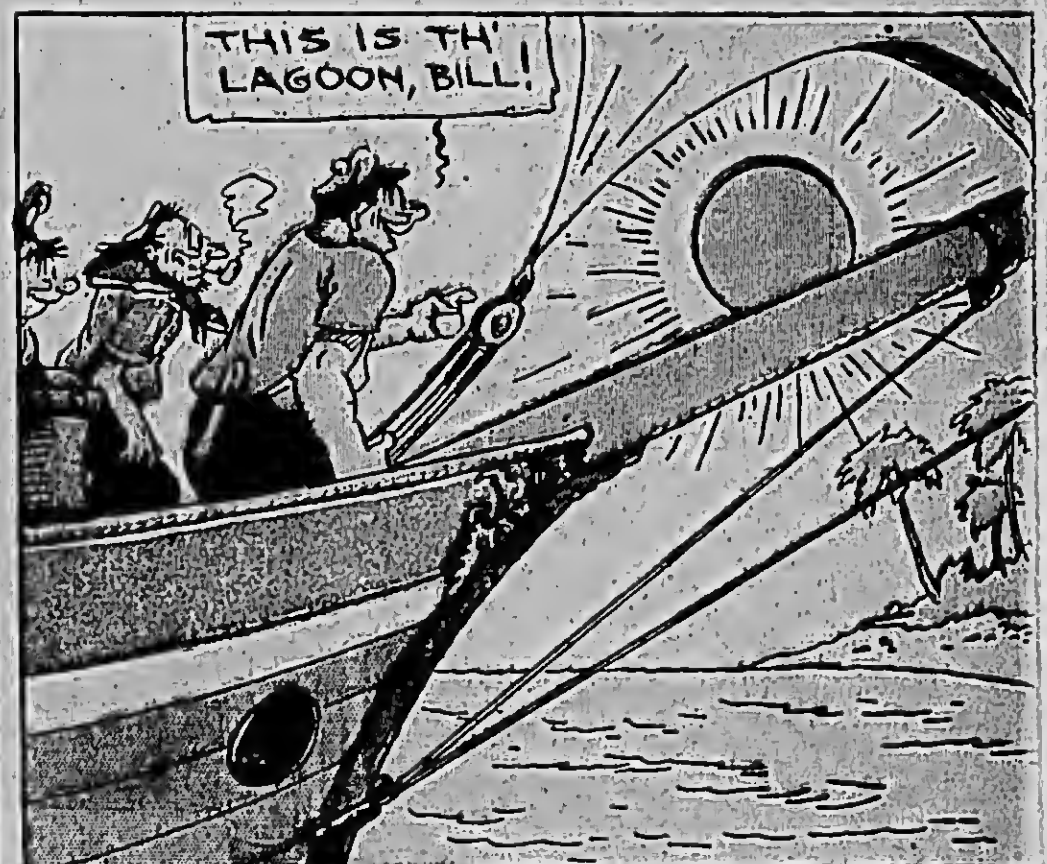
One night, in my watch below, when I was one o' th' crew of a tradin' schooner, runnin' between Sidney, Australia, and th' islands of th' South Pacific, Spike Muggles, a shipmate, told me a strange tale about an island, a secret lagoon, and a pearl. Spike said he had been on th' island, and that th' bottom of th' lagoon was covered with pearl-oysters as big as a plate. By crackey, while he was yarnin' I began to see pearls as big as apples, worth thousands of dollars each. When Spike suggested that we buy a little schooner, and go after those pearls, I told him I was for it.

A few weeks later, Spike, Tony, th' cook, and I stood in th' bow of our little schooner. Right ahead was wavin' coconut trees on an island. We glided through th' break in th' reef and dropped anchor in a placid,

blue lagoon. In a few minutes I was in a divin'-suit and on th' bottom of th' lagoon. All around me glided strange fish colored like a rainbow. Green, red, and black seaweed swayed in th' water. And then, I saw th'—PEARL! I shot up through th' water, hangin' onto some big critter for dear life.

Still hangin' onto th' thing, I shot up into th' air, and then I saw that I was ridin' a whoppin' big swordfish. Down we went again to th' bottom of th' lagoon, then up into th' air again, and I'll be dingbusted if that swordfish didn't go scootin' for th' schooner. Wham, went his sword-bill into th' mainmast. When Spike and Tony got th' head-piece off th' divin'-suit I saw Mr. Swordfish hangin' to th' mast.

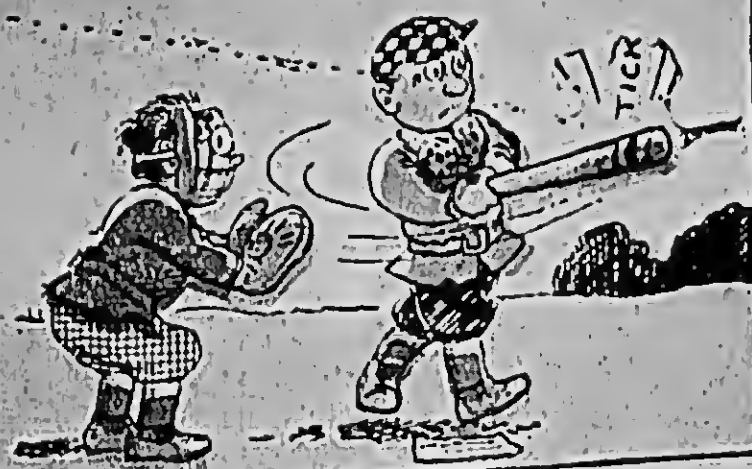
Watch for my next yarn about this island.



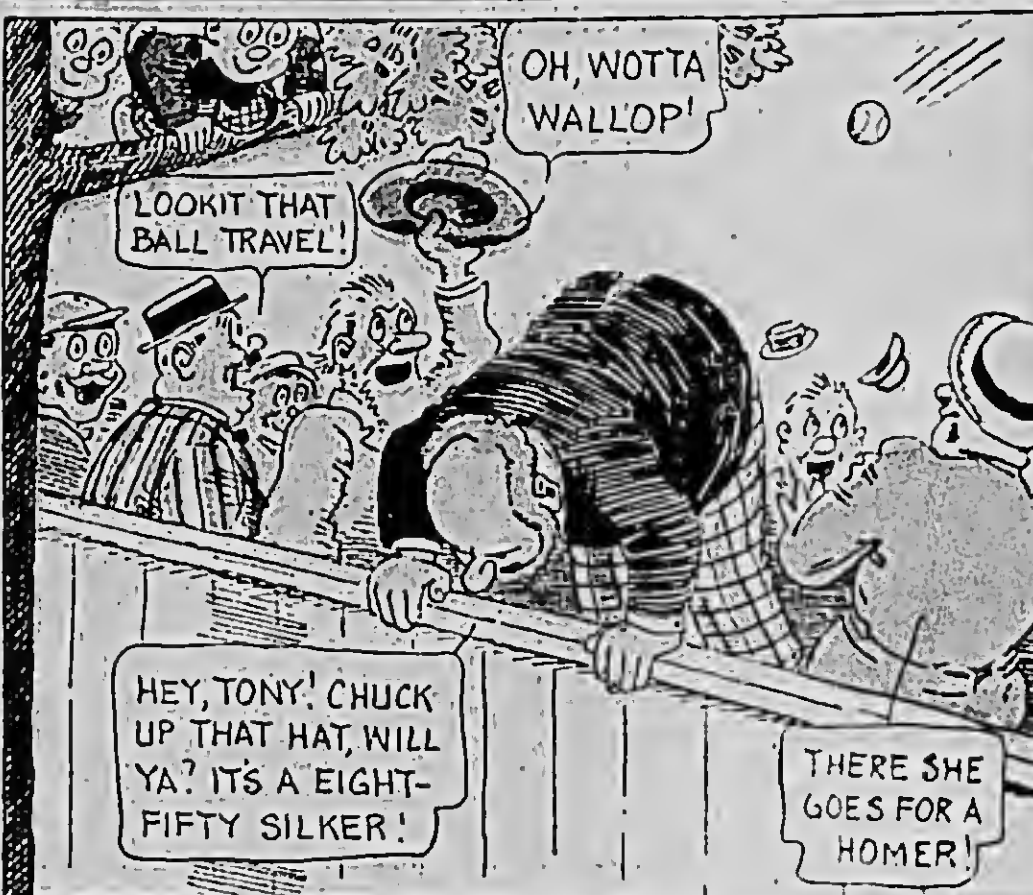
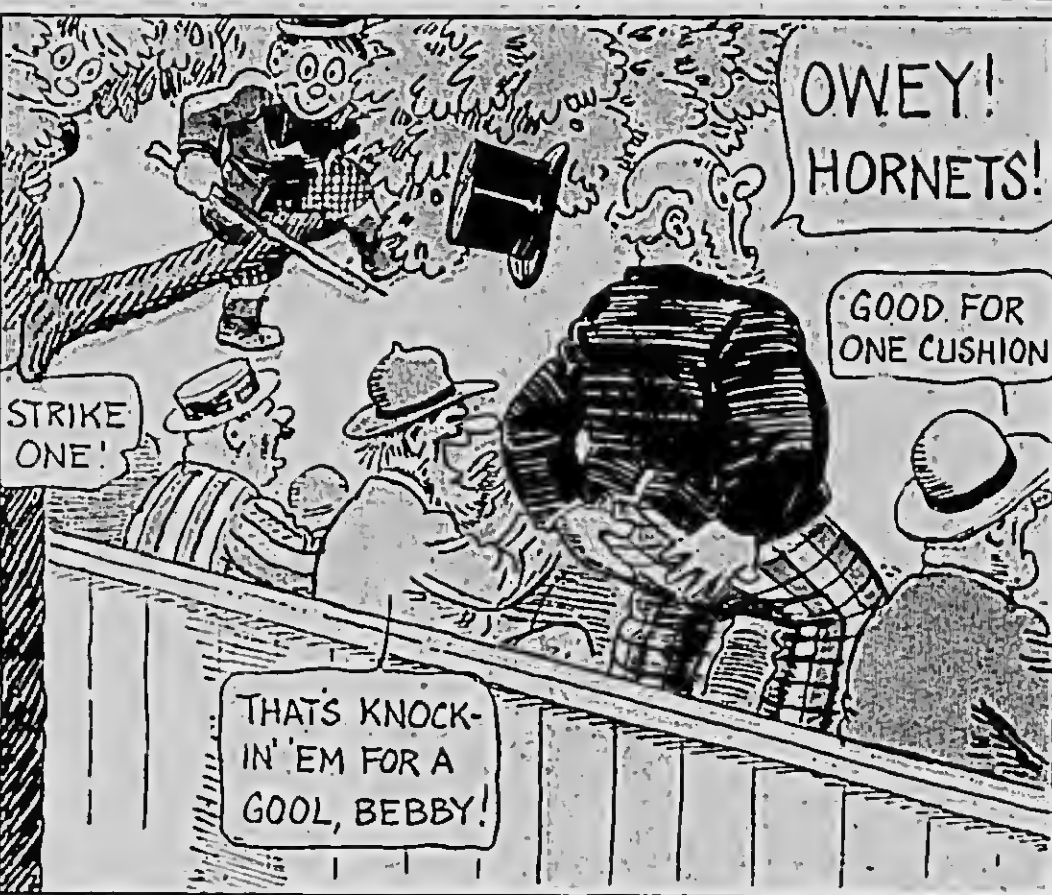
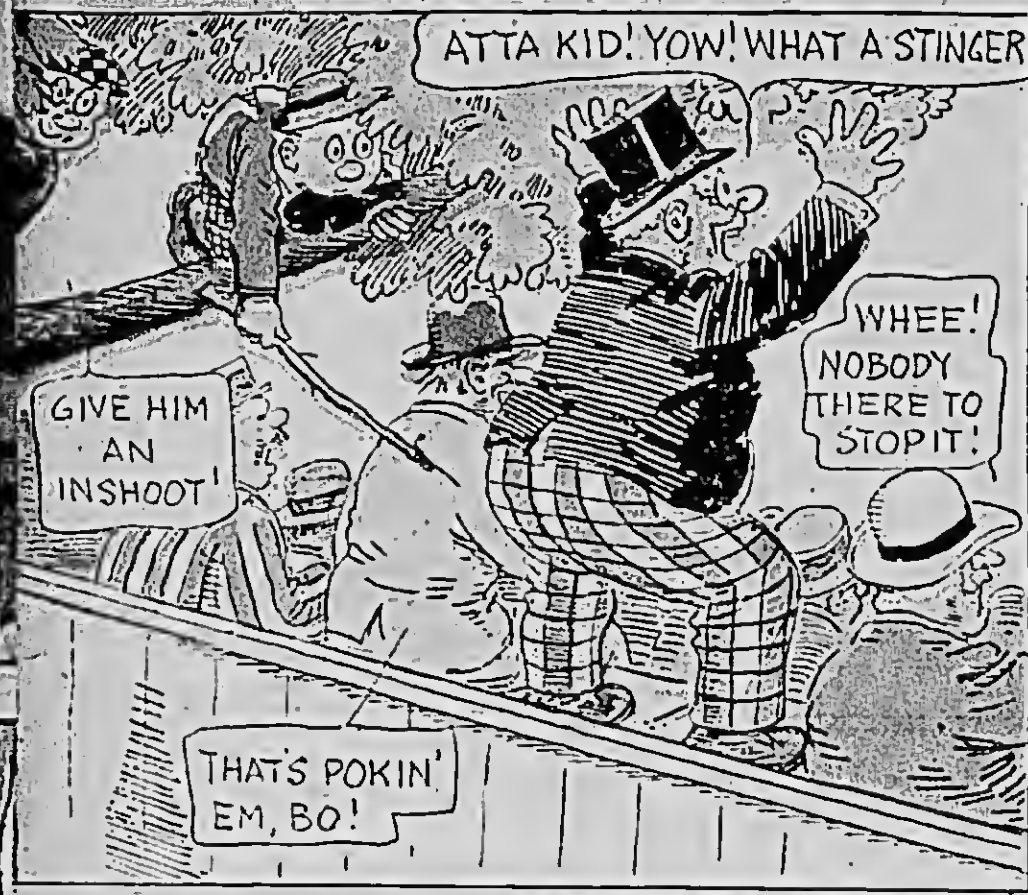
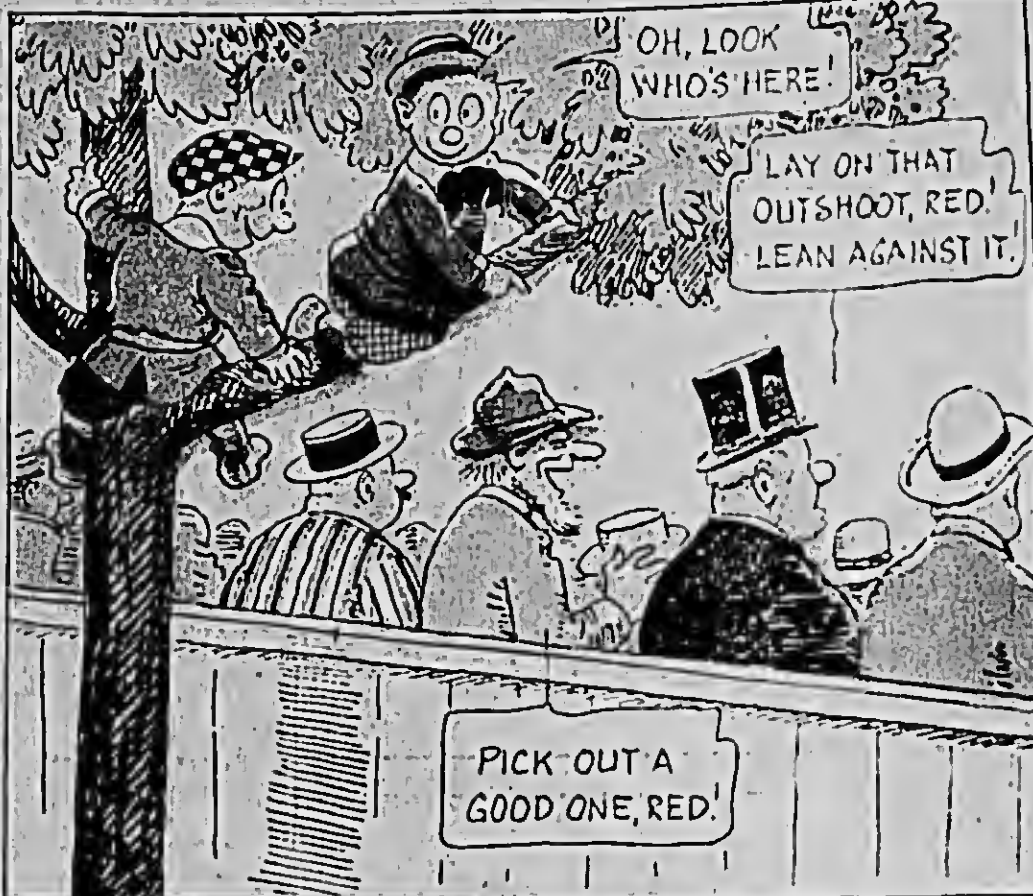
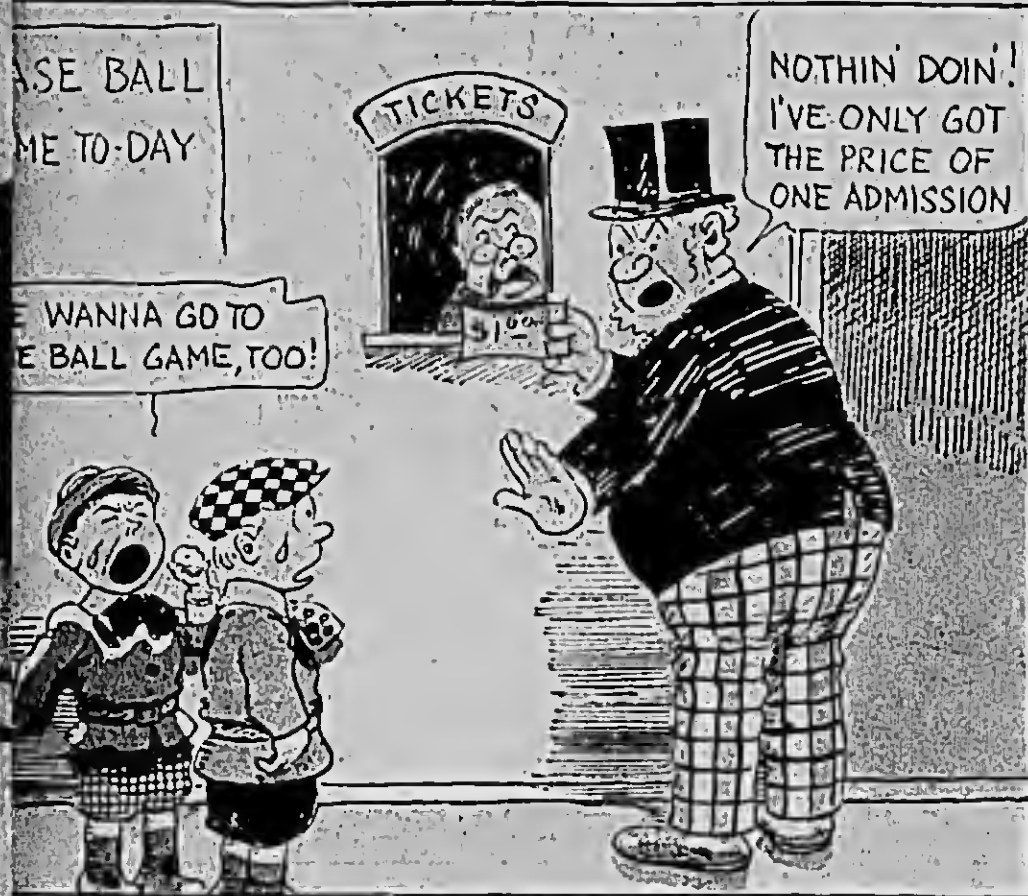


OLD ANTIQUE  
E'LL BE WORTH  
PIN WHEN I  
ER ALL  
HED UP

# FOUL BALL!



## TIM --- THE KELLY KIDS --- TOM



HOT  
DOG!

HELLO,  
MR. GROCER.

WHY,  
HELLO,  
NELL.

I HAIN'T SEEN YOU FOR  
A ROW OF CALENDARS.

I WANT TO BUY  
SOMETHING FOR  
MY HUSBANDS  
SUPPER. -  
GIVE ME A  
BOX OF  
MATCHES.

ALL RIGHT,  
WHAT  
ELSE?

THAT'LL  
BE ALL.

ZAT ALL?  
MY GOO'NESS!  
MATCHES FOR  
HIS SUPPER.

SURE! DIDN'T YOU KNOW I  
MARRIED A FIRE EATER WHO  
IS WITH A SIDE SHOW?